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Town Crier

By W. Gartrell

"Tis fine to see the Old World, and travel up and down among the famous palaces and cities of renown,
To admire the crumbly castles and places of the kings.—
But now I think I've had enough of antiquated things."

So it's home again, and home again, America for me!
My heart is turning home again and there I long to be,
In the land of youth and freedom beyond the ocean bars,
Where the air is full of sunlight and the flag is full of stars!"

If one might be said to wind up a honeymoon with a theme song, the above lines would have fitted very well the last days that the Junior Newell Wards spent in the Old World. Greeting the Crier with her usual charming friendliness, Mrs. Ward told of anticipating "at least a thrill" when the air raid sirens in Paris shrieked their warnings, but found the whole business terribly dull. With many shops closed all day and an early curfew, Paree was anything but gay. Mr. and Mrs. Ward had planned to take passage from Trieste, but the outbreak of the war changed that and they then decided to go to France, crossing from Italy the day before the border was closed. They docked at New York a fortnight ago aboard the George Washington, along with many other prominent Americans who were "SO darned glad to get Home," as Mrs. Ward emphatically put it. And HOME IS SO darned glad to have 'em back safe and sound, say we.

With but a tip and some very clever sleuthing, sheriff-elect Paul Alexander got his man when he set out to find the daring hold-up man who relieved Louis Dimos of \$53 the evening of Labor Day. The trail is said to have led through West Virginia and finally to Hopewell. Whence Mr. Alexander was called Friday by Hopewell authorities to come and identify a prisoner they were holding for him. The Officer took with him Mr. Dimos, Henry Continued on Page Twenty-five

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FINAL MONTCLAIR AWARD TO SOCKS

The 14th Annual Montclair Horse Show was held Friday and Saturday September 29 and 30 on the grounds of the Montclair Riding Club. This year several new changes were put into effect. The two most prominent were a newly built indoor ring and an outside course.

The jumper classes were fairly well run by Socks, owned by Mrs. Oscar Erhorn, and ridden by Al Homewood. Fighting for reserve honors were Mrs. C. R. Jones with Blinker Boy and Dudley Brothwell's two, Brookside and Kildare Sorcer. Mrs. C. R. Jones and Dudley Brothwell were tied with 18 points but they tossed and Mrs. Jones' Continued on Page Twenty-five

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AS THE SEASON OPENS

By W. Plunket Stewart, M. F. H.

In the following pages there appears a list of the recognized hunts of the United States and Canada. This is interesting to have available to fox hunters at the beginning of every season, but particularly is it so this year, when these same organizations have come forward so generously in offering to care for hounds in England in the present emergency.

During September, as President of the Masters of Foxhounds Association of America, I was informed there was a likelihood, in order to preserve food, that all hounds in England were to be put down, and the inquiry was made as to whether the American Masters would be willing to care for a certain number of hounds during the war. As directed by the Executive Committee of the Masters of Foxhounds Association of America, I at once sent out a letter requesting such information. The response was really magnificent and proved very conclusively that the U. S. Masters feel sincere sympathy for our brother sportsmen in England, and are desirous of helping them in their present trouble. This was made all the more impressive in that English hounds are not popular in America, and that a very large majority of the U. S. hunts use American hounds. However, within the last few days I have received copy of order from the English Government concerning fox hunting as follows:

"Ministry of Agriculture
I am directed to refer to your letter of August 24th on the subject of the position of hunting during a war and to say that, as indicated in my letter of the 21st of January, that it is not expected that any drastic restrictions or supplies of feeding stuffs for horses and hounds will be necessary at the outset. It is evident however that the feeding stuffs situation will require that the utmost economy should be observed in the consumption of such feeding stuffs, and it would be useful if you suggest to Masters of hunts that they should immediately restrict, so far as possible, the quantity of feeding stuffs fed to hunters and hounds."

This indicates that there is no immediate necessity of presenting our offer to English Masters. I am anxious on behalf of the Masters of Foxhounds Association of America to take this opportunity to record in these columns our appreciation of the splendid cooperation of the U. S. Masters.

Cubbing is now well under way and from all accounts prospects for a good season in all sections of the country are excellent. May I take this opportunity as President of the Masters of Foxhounds Association to wish each and all fox hunters a happy and joyous season, and that when October rolls by and November is here, it will find you

Your foot in the stirrup, your hand on the rein
And the seat that you love in the pigskin again,
No lark in the Heavens more happy and gay
Than you—on the first of the season today.

W. PLUNKET STEWART,
President.

P. S. Should any of the U. S. Masters be desirous of securing English hounds as a gift, I suggest that they communicate at once with Mr. A. Henry Higginson, Stinsford House, Dorchester, Dorset, England, who has kindly offered to transmit such requests to those hunts reducing.

UNUSUAL QUALITY AT HOUND SHOW DRAWS SPORTSMEN TO BRYN MAWR

Beagle Packs Well Represented In 23rd Hound Show With Edward Clucas' Leading

The 23rd Annual Bryn Mawr Hound Show was held in conjunction with the Horse Show on the same grounds at Bryn Mawr, Penna. On Friday, September 22nd, the Hound ring was given over to the Beagles. A large entry, comprising many of the best pack Hounds in the east, was exhibited. Edward A. Hurd of Red Bank, New Jersey, did the Judging.

The show was well attended and spectators and exhibitors included many well known men in the beagle world. The Whiteoaks Foot, the Vernon-Somerset, the Waldingfield, the Treweryn, the Readington Foot, the Stockford, the Meadow Lark, and the Bethel Lake made up the eight packs which brought Hounds to Bryn Mawr this year. Entries from Dr. Thomas Butler Snyder, Pinkie H. Navar, and the Saddlerock Kennels were also exhibited.

Edward W. Clucas' Whiteoaks Foot of Beagles from Bedminster, New Jersey, were the leading ribbon winners of the day. Shown in both thirteenth and fourteenth place were the

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Brandywine's Flirter Captures American Championship; English To Shelburne

In number of entries and in quality, the American Hounds in the 23rd Annual Bryn Mawr Hound Show were better than in many years, with outstanding Hounds exhibited from Virginia, Pennsylvania, New England, New York and New Jersey Packs, in the Brandywine, Fairfield and Westchester, Fox Chapel, Goldeens Bridge, Mr. Jefford's, Middlebury, Millbrook, Orange County, Rose Tree, Mr. Jack Stewart's, Vicmead and Sewickley. The Champion Dog Honors were won by Brandywine's Flirter with the Champion Bitch award going to Fairfield and Westchester Hounds' Tinkle.

Judges: William du Pont, Jr., and Samuel Wooldridge were kept busy through the first day, Wednesday, when American Hounds took over the entire program. Mr. Wooldridge, of Versailles, Kentucky, is a great student and enthusiast of the Walker Hound, while Mr. du Pont, Jr., made a nice balance with his interest mainly centered about Penn-

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Meadow Brook Sees Seafarin Dan Lead Field

Captain Ewart Johnston's G. A. Laing Trained 'Chaser In Top Form For Classic

Ten lengths on top and three fences from home, Capt. Ewart Johnston's Seafarin Dan, given an inspiring ride by Mr. Frank Powers last Saturday morning, Sept. 30, was running well within himself,



—“Bert” Morgan Photo.
SEAFARIN DAN

two beyond the 16th., where he had come to grief in the 1938 running of the Meadow Brook Cup. Mr. Powers sat very still, all the way, with a long hold, following the instructions of Geoffrey A. Laing, Trainer. Mr. Laing had sent out a fit one in Capt. Johnston's 9 year old son of Dan IV—Sea Girl. It was Seafarin Dan's second effort in the oldest timber race in America, and he was fresh from his first fall outing last week at Whittemarsh. Over the 19th., 20th., and final he soared, standing well back and landing full of run to gallop the field at the finish. He all but won as he pleased.

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22 YEAR OLD HOBO COLUMBUS WINNER

The Knights of Columbus 5th annual Horse Show, scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 30th., and Sunday, Oct. 1st., at the Meadow Brook Show Grounds, Chevy Chase, Md., met with the worst weather misfortune of any show on the Virginia-District circuit this season. Following a fine start the first day, threatening rain sent spectators to cover as Miss Margaret Cotter on her versatile high-jumper Rockside scored in the semi-darkness in the Working Hunters. This was the end of the out-door activities. Continued rain on Sunday cancelled the second day performance and necessitated an enforced postponement until Monday night, Oct. 2nd.

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The Horseman's News

W. L. Brann's Challedon Avenges Defeat By Porter's Mite In His Only Set Back

Back on Maryland soil again for the first time since his great Preakness victory last spring, W. L. Brann's Challedon made of his homecoming just what was expected when he added one more rich stake to his growing list of triumphs by coping in easy style the Havre de Grace handicap last Saturday, over the mile and an eighth oval at the Harford Agricultural Breeders' Association track. Once again track conditions, just as they were at Plimlico that memorable day, were muddy and Challedon, who cares not a fig for the weather man, seemed to exert little effort as he came around the leaders on the stretch turn and pulled away to a four length win over Robert L., back of whom were Manie O'Hara, Nedayr, Porter's Mite and Rex Flag. This was Challedon's first opportunity to even up a month-old score against Porter's Mite, for the Porter colt it was who defeated him at Narragansett back in August, his one and only setback since his Classic triumph. His share of the "Graw" purse, which netted him \$13,200 brings the earnings of this great 3-year-old son of *Challenger II to the smart sum of \$163,810 for 1939 alone, putting him above Kayak II who had heretofore been the year's biggest money winner with \$152,225. Challedon's impressive list of victories to date includes The Preakness, The Yankee Handicap, The Arlington Classic, The Narragansett Special, The Hawthorne Gold Cup and lastly, The Havre de Grace Handicap. In his twelve starts this year he has met but five defeats and of these only once has he been fourth, this in Suffolk's Massachusetts Handicap when a late start caused him to finish behind Fighting Fox, Pompoon and Burning Star. His other performances have been: second to Johnstown in the Derby; third to John-

stown and Sun Lover in the Dwyer; and second to Porter's Mite in the James C. Thornton Memorial Handicap at 'Gansett.

Sun Egret, A. C. C. Stable's 4-year-old colt by *Sun Briar, who opened Havre de Grace's meeting recently by taking its inaugural Susquehanna Handicap, not only repeated his performance at Laurel last Tuesday in that track's initial feature The Capital Handicap, but made it three in a row in doing so, having already sandwiched in last week the Prospect Handicap 'ere Havre de Grace closed. Among those defeated by Sun Egret in the 21st running of the Capital stake which netted him \$6,725, were Clodian, the good Rough Time, Ariel and El Chico.

Falaise Stable's good 3-year-old filly Red Eye by the Maryland sire Pete-Wrack, ran the fastest mile turned in at Belmont's current meeting on Thursday September 28, when she headed home ten other fillies and mares for the \$5,000 added Ladies' Handicap in 1:36 2-5. This makes four times that Red Eye has accounted this year in eight starts, wherein she has otherwise been twice second and once third. Among her triumphs was the Gazelle Stakes for which she accounted in July, defeating Hostility, Cincia and others.

That honest son of *Gino, P. B. Codd's 3-year-old Gino Rex, displayed a bit of his Tetrarch blood last Tuesday when he stepped a muddy mile and a furlong at Belmont to win the Montauk Claiming Stakes and come within four fifths of Hot Toddy's record of ten year's standing, completing the distance in 1:49 1-5. His effort brought him a \$2,800 slice of the added purse.

Following are lists of winners by Virginia and Maryland sires which have scored during the past seven days from Wednesday, September 27, through Tuesday, October 3.

VIRGINIA SIRED WINNERS

Winning Mark, 3, br. g. (Big Sally, by Brumado), HG., Sept. 30, 1½ mi., cl.	850	BRANDON MINT	
Boy Baby, 2, b. c. (Tsuga, by Paragon), RkP., Sept. 30, 6 f., cl.	600	*BRIGHT KNIGHT	
Lyner, 2, b. c. (Lady Myra, by Atheline II), Det., Oct. 2, 1 mi. & 70 yds., cl.	425	CHESTNUT OAK	
Raceaway, 3, dk. b. s. (Hieaway, by Meridian), RkP., Oct. 2, 6 f., cl.	600	DRESS PARADE	
Short Cake, 3, ch. f. (Bobbed Hair, by Helmet), RkP., Oct. 3, 6 f., allowce.	750	ERNIE MANZER	
Ernie Manzer, 6, red ch. g. (Sweep High, by Sweep High), RkP., Oct. 2, 1 1-16 mi., cl.	600	DUNLIN	
Abdicate, 4, ch. g. (Royal Ruler, by Royal Canary), Det., Sept. 27, 6 f., cl.	425	FLAT POLE	
Wakita, 3, b. f. (Kawita, by Donnacona), RkP., Sept. 29, 1 mi., cl.	600	GINO	
Gino Rex, 3, gr. c. (Sun Tess, by *Sun Briar), Bel., Oct. 3, 1½ mi., Montauk Cl. Stks.	2,800	*SHAPPY ARGO	
Shailleen, 2, b. f. (Shanette, by *Sir Greysteel), RkP., Sept. 27, 6 f., cl.	600	SPARKLING EYES	
Sparkling Eyes, 4, b. f. (Gala Time, by High Time), Bel., Oct. 3, 7 f., Class D 'Cap.	755	MERIDIAN	
Miss Firefly, 7, b. m. (Golden Green, by Golden Maxim), Hw., Sept. 28, 1 1-16 mi., cl.	700	ON WATCH	
Little Banner, 5, b. m. (Bannerette, by Pennant), RkP., Sept. 28, 1 1-16 mi., cl.	600	PILATE	
Screw Driver, 2, blk. c. (Ripping Crimp, by Crimper), Lau., Oct. 3, 5½ f., M. Sp. W.	700	POMPEY	
Latenass, 3, ch. e. (Passe, by Over There), RkP., Sept. 30, 1 mi., cl.	600	POMPLIT	
Monida, 2, br. f. (Carnina, by Carlaris), RkP., Oct. 2, 6 f., M. Sp. W.	600	QUATRE BRAS II	
Pomplit, 4, ch. f. (Moonlit, by Friar Rock), RkP., Sept. 29, 1 1-16 mi., cl.	600	DOROTHY POMP	
Dorothy Pomp, 3, b. f. (Dorothy Kendle, by Wildair), HG., Sept. 29, 6 f., cl.	700	STEPENFETCHIT	
Dark Level, 2, b. g. (End Girl, by Campfire), Bel., Sept. 28, 6 f., mdns., cl.	700	ST. HENRY	
Dotted Swiss, 2, b. f. (Florida Blossom, by Uncle), Bel., Oct. 2, 5½ f., allowce.	700	Royal Tread, 6, b. or br. g. (Silver Slippers, by Ambassador IV), Wbn., Sept. 27, 1 mi. & 70 yds., cl.	525
Dicty Step, 3, ch. g. (Dicty, by Black Toney), Bel., Oct. 3, 7 f., cl.	700	Maple Ricca, 7, ch. g. (Nell McChord, by Spanish Prince II), Det., Sept. 29, 1 mi. & 70 yds., cl.	525
Ballinderry, 3, ch. f. (Markiluna, by Sir Martin), Hw., Sept. 28, 6½ f., cl.	700	Royal Tread, 6, b. or br. g. (Silver Slippers, by Ambassador IV), Wbn., Sept. 30, 6 f., cl.	525
Orphan Lass, 5, b. m. (L'Orpheline, by Prince Palatine), Det., Oct. 3, 6 f., cl.	425	*STROLLING PLAYER	
Sun Kinsen, 4, b. f. (Kinsen, by Cudgel), RkP., Sept. 28, 6 f., cl.	600	Ballinderry, 3, ch. f. (Markiluna, by Sir Martin), Hw., Sept. 28, 6 f., cl.	700
Sun Mixa, 2, b. f. (Comix, by Collin), Bel., Sept. 28, 6 f., allowce.	700	Secret Lover, 7, ch. g. (Loved One, by *Nefogol), Det., Sept. 30, 1 mi. & 70 yds., cl.	425
Sun Egret, 4, dk. ch. c. (Polly Egret, by Polymelan), Lau., Oct. 3, 6 f., Capital Handicap.	6,725	SUN MEADOW	
Royal Business, 4, b. f. (Pretty Business, by Spanish Prince II), HG., Sept. 28, 6 f., cl.	700	Royal Business, 4, b. f. (Pretty Business, by Spanish Prince II), HG., Sept. 28, 6 f., cl.	700

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Belmont's Brook To C. M. Kline's Whaddon Chase

Eight Away In Major Brush Test With Mad Policy Top Weight At 153 Pounds

C. Mahlon Kline's good 4-year-old Morris Dixon-trained gelding Whaddon Chase, who evidently gained heart from his recent Fair Hill Steeplechase triumph at Foxcatcher, returned to the big tracks with a vengeance last week, defeating one who has thrice led him across the wire in previous events this season. Indeed the son of Monk's Way gave Thomas Hitchcock's sterling youngster Cottesmore so severe a trouncing for the two and a half miles of the Brook Steeplechase Handicap at Belmont on September 7 that Amateur Ray Wolfe was unable to drive Cottesmore to better than third, back of Gwladys Whitney's Rhadamanthus. The latter, in thus gaining the place, finished just where he did in Saratoga's Beverwyck, wherein Whaddon Chase broke his maiden back in August.

Of the eight who paraded for this major brush test, the topweight toter

was Mrs. Jack Skinner's Mad Policy who was allotted the impost of 153 pounds for his recent Glendale and Bushwick triumphs. Others, along with Cottesmore who were selected above Whaddon Chase in the betting ere they went postward were Thomas Hitchcock's Rioter, coupled with his stablemate, and Harold Talbot's Ship Executive. Brookmeade's National Anthem and R. K. Mellon's Toolbox were accorded almost equal chances with the 10-1 quoted winner, who, in the opinion of one, had "Not more than a fair chance to win." When the tale was told, all remained on their feet save Rioter who had been leading most of the way and who, to the amazement of some and the disappointment of many, went down heavily when in a forward position but two fences from home.

In the somewhat sloppy going, Jockey Scott took Rioter out to make the pace and Whaddon Chase stayed close to him for the opening mile. Mr. Johnny Harrison, aboard Rhadamanthus, restrained his charge well back during the early running. At the eighth fence, the water in front of the grandstand, Rioter bobbed landing and Mad Policy came down on top of him, both horses nearly coming to grief and losing much ground by the mishap. Whaddon Chase, always going strongly, took over the command at the twelfth

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Hunting Notes:



MIDDLEBURY HUNT

Middleburg,
Loudoun County,
Virginia.
Established 1908.
Recognized 1908.



Middleburg Hounds showed followers sport in Piedmont country and focused their activities about "Rattlesnake Mountain" (a point nearest to the center of the territories of Middleburg, Orange County and Piedmont countries). The meet was at 6:00 at New Ford, on Saturday, Sept. 30th., for the last day of hunting in September's cub-hunting season.

Hounds had four foxes going during the morning, two reds, cubs, and two greys. The young entry acquitted well, despite the circling, turning, twisting antics of the young foxes.

Followers were bewildered for a time, on the banks of The creek back of "Chilton," when heavy mist, and thick foliage made the riding difficult. One young lady came a cropper when the vines pulled her down, while still another rode into a bee hive and scattered followers handsomely.

Hounds were called off and returned to Kennels at 9:30, when a day was made of it up in the Piedmont country, back of the Robert V. Clark "Atoka Farm," across the Winchester-Washington Pike from the Middleburg territory.

MONTREAL HUNT

Fremiere,
Province of Quebec,
Canada.
Established 1828.
Recognized since its
inception.



Owing to a late harvest, cub-hunting did not commence until August 29th, when Hounds met at the Kennels at 6 A. M. Conditions during cub-hunting were excellent, scent unusually good for the time of year and the country appeared to be well foxed.

Perhaps the best morning's sport was on Sept. 9th., when the meet was at St. Augustin Church at 6 A. M. The sand hills north of the Village of St. Augustin were first drawn, but Hounds could do little with a fox who ran promptly in Labelle's wood west of the C. N. R. tracks and ran very fast to Angel Hill, some three miles as the crow flies. Here the fox turned left handed and headed for the Cote St. Louis Road apparently making for the Brule where he was marked to ground. About ninety minutes from start to finish with one check of a little over five minutes.

The young entry of five couples have all entered well, and the draft of bitches obtained from Mr. A. H. Higginson, of the Cattstock last spring have been a distinct acquisition to the Pack.

The opening meet was held at the Kennels at 11 A. M. on September

16th. The thermometer registered eighty-seven degrees so after a slow hunt behind a fox found in Frank Miller's cedars, the Field of some thirty was quite content to call it a day and Hounds returned to Kennels about 2 P. M. Prior to Hounds moving off this year's entry was judged by Mr. A. E. Ogilvie, who awarded first in Dog Hounds to Fearnaut, by Fortune, '35-Signet, '33 and Bitches to Whimsey, by Stormer, '34-Woodbine '34.

Since the opening Meet, Hounds have gone out three times weekly. Owing to the War, fields have been somewhat smaller than usual and the future of Hunting in Montreal is naturally somewhat clouded, but every effort is being made to carry on as long as possible.

A splendid day's sport was held on Saturday, Sept. 23rd., when the meet was at St. Scholastique Village. A heavy rain kept the field to a minimum. Those who faced the weather were well rewarded. An outlyer was found quickly and the 20 couples of Hounds opened to him as one. The fox ran East through Prince of Wales covert, then swung left handed across the St. Jean Road, through the St. Jean Cedars, where the going is very bad and consequently the field lost touch with Hounds. However they soon picked them up in the open country to the North and had an excellent gallop close behind Hounds until the fox saved his brush by taking refuge in an open-drain on Maurice Lalonde's Farm. Fifty minutes without a check.—"Fresniere"

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GENESEE VALLEY HUNT

Genesee,
New York.
Established 1876.
Recognized 1894.



As it has been since the late Major W. Austin Wadsworth founded the Genesee Valley Hunt in 1876, The Homestead, Genesee home of Mrs. W. Austin Wadsworth, was the scene of the opening meet of the Genesee Valley Hounds on Saturday, September 30.

This second oldest hunt in America is now under the mastership of Major Wadsworth's son, William P. Wadsworth, who hunts the pack of cross bred English and Welsh Hounds himself and shows wonderful sport through the huge rolling pastures and wooded gullies of the Genesee country.

A field of about fifty turned out for the 6:30 O'clock meet. Drawing the river flats west of The Homestead, Hounds put up a fox in Slocum Flats but lost him across the river. Shortly thereafter the drizzle, which had started soon after Hounds moved off from the meet, turned into a downpour. At the end of another hour, when the skies showed no signs of clearing and it was evident that the

fox had gone to ground, Hounds were taken in and the field returned to The Homestead to be Mrs. Wadsworth's guests for breakfast.

Members of the field included Mrs. James L. Crane, Miss Penelope Crane and Thomas Cooke, of Buffalo; J. Francis Weller (M. F. H. of the Country Club Rochester Hounds), Miss Jane Noonan, Colonel Oscar N. Solbert, Miss Romaine Solbert and Clarence Ward, of Rochester; Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Mulligan, Miss Mary Mulligan and Charles Z. Case, of Avon; Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Woodward, of Le Roy; Mrs. Philip A. Hevenor, of Bristol Center; Robert Glover, Miss Virginia Scott and Miss Lucille Bailey, of Genesee. Among the "young entry" were Martha and Winifred Wadsworth, young daughters of the Master, and little John Woodward, out for the first time on a new gray pony and enjoying it as much as his parents and his grandfather, that prince of sportsmen, Ernest L. Woodward, who was Master back in the '20's.

Mrs. William P. Wadsworth followed in a car with her small son, William Austin, and Mrs. Austin Wadsworth and Mrs. Thomas Cooke were in the former's specially built open car in which she follows every hunt, going cross country and stopping at nothing short of a gully or a four foot fence.

Fixtures for The Genesee Valley Hunt for the remainder of October are: Monday 9th, Cuylerville Bridge; Wednesday, 11th, Fowlerville Depot; Saturday, 14th, Mr. Edward D. Mulligan's Farm, (breakfast by kind invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Mulligan); Monday, 16th, Long Point; Wednesday, 18th, The Homestead; Saturday, 21st, Sugarberry Farm, (Race Meeting at The Kennels at 2 P.M.); Monday, 23rd, Mill Marm; Wednesday, 25th, North Farm; Saturday, 28th, Bellwood, (Breakfast by kind invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin D. L. Stowe and Point-to-Point at 3 P.M.); Monday, 30th, Charlton Farm.

Cubbing started in the Genesee Valley in the middle of August, but was suspended during most of September due to a prolonged drought which made the ground as hard as concrete and scenting conditions impossible. Light rains finally enabled William P. Wadsworth, M. F. H., to take Hounds out on Wednesday, September 27.

The meet was at North Farm, Genesee, at 6:30 A.M. Drawing south along the river, Hounds put up a fox which gave a good half hour's run back toward North Farm. A heavy downpour ended the day's sport at 9:30 o'clock. The field included Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Woodward, D. Mulligan, Miss Mary Mulligan, Charles Z. Case and Mrs. Philip A. Hevenor.

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ORANGE COUNTY HUNT CLUB

The Plains,
Virginia.
Established 1903.
Recognized 1903.



The first real fixture of the cub-hunting season for Orange County Hounds in the galloping-grass country of this domain was held as a climax to the September days. Hounds met at Mrs. W. Plunket Stewart's "Rolling Plains" Sat. Sept. 30th., and a fox was started almost immediately.

Twenty nine were out to enjoy the sport, the best, considering weather temperature and going (it had rained heavily during the night and the drouth was ended) this season. The

first fox was carried in a circle up through "Blue Bird" and back to a point near where Hounds first got him up. He went in. Three foxes were run during the morning.

The pace and distance of the three runs were enough to blow the horses, for it is hardly time yet for fit ones this season. One veteran of the Orange County fields reported of the

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Ostend, by Sand Mole—Vanity Fair became the country's leading timber horse in 1935 and 1937. Winner of major timber awards. Twice second in the Maryland.

Lot 1.—CLIFTONS FAIRY, B. M. 1933. Star, snip between nostrils, rt. ft. and both hd. ankles white. Black spots on coronet. A real hunting mare and winner over Timber this year at Radnor. This mare shows a lot of power. By *Coq Gaulois—1st dam *Airy Fairy by Cicero (Derby Winner) 2d dam. Another Pet by Vitez—3d dam. Miller's Daughter by Queen Birthday—4th dam. Allan Water by Barcaline. This is the Agnes Family. *Airy Fairy is the dam of good winners.

Lot 2.—CLIFTONS ELSEA, F. B. 1937. Large irregular star; rt. hd. ft. white irregularly to ankle, black spots on coronet. A lovely filly, very fast in the field. Own sister to lot 1.

Lot 3.—CLIFTONS NYMPH 1936. Full sister to Cliftons Beau and Cliftons Rose, first brood on in April last, now jumping 4 ft. and very quiet, unusual jumper for the amount of experience. By *Coq Gaulois. Dam, Lough Storm by *Lough Foyle—2d dam, *Storm Nymph.

Lot 4.—CLIFTONS STORM. Dark Gray G. 1937. Irregular snip between nostrils. Full brother to Cliftons Beau and Cliftons Rose. A real Show Prospect. By *Coq Gaulois. Dam, Lough Storm by *Lough Foyle—2d dam *Storm Nymph.

Lot 5.—CLIFTONS ACE Gr. G. 1937. Irregular stripe, narrowing between nostrils; rt. fr. pastern white, running up in back of fetlock, higher on inside, black spots on coronet. Full brother to Cliftons Marie. This colt has been under tack for one month, but never galloped, very fast in the field, probably the best timber or brush prospect I ever owned, by *Coq Gaulois. Dam, Marie Antoninette 2nd by *Glencalair—2d dam, Ringling by Fatherless—3d dam, Ninone.

Lot 6.—STAR NEWS Ch. G. 1937. Star; rt. ft. leg white halfway to knee, higher in back; If. hd. leg white halfway to hock, higher in back; rt. fr. leg white halfway to hock, higher on inside. This colt should make a real brush horse. By *Brumado. Dam, Venus by Star Hawk, War Cloud or War Star. 2d dam, War News by *Spanish Prince II—3d dam Vanity.

Lot 7.—CLIFTONS DONNA B. F. 1937. Star to rt. of forehead; small white spot below star; stripe from center of face extending to rt. nostril and below nostrils; white on inside of rt. ft. coronet. A grand big 2 yr. old, should do to show. By *Donnacona. Dam, Satin Finish by *White Satin—2d dam. Lady Finley by The Finn.

Lot 8.—OLE GROUCH Brownish Gr. G. 1937. Large irregular star, narrowing into stripe halfway down face; If. ft. coronet white, higher on inside; If. hd. coronet and part of pastern white, higher on inside and in back, black spot on inside of coronet. A beautifully made big, little horse. By Groucher (he by Whisk Broom 2nd dam). Dam, Cliftons Madge by *Coq Gaulois—2d dam, Cliff Rose by Cliff Edge.

Lot 9.—BROWN COLT 1938. Star; narrow stripe, widening gradually to between nostrils and extending down on rt. side of upper lip; rt. fr. pastern white, extending on fetlock in back; If. hd. pastern white, extending on ankle on inside; rt. hd. pastern white, running on fetlock in back. A real show prospect, cannon bone 8½ inches. By Coq d'Esprit. Dam, Cliftons Madge by *Coq Gaulois—2d dam, Cliff Rose by Cliff Edge.

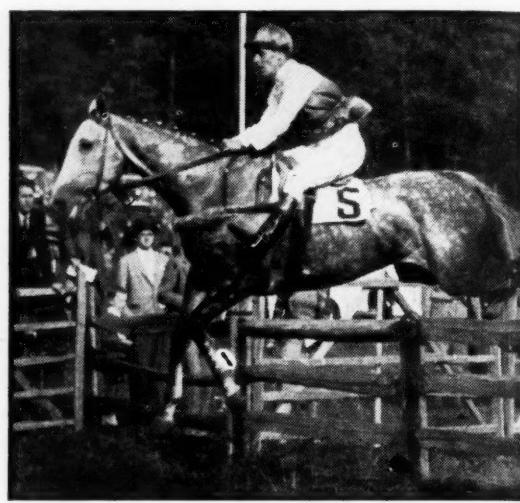
Lot 10.—LIGHT BROWN GELDING 1938. Irregular star and irregular connected stripe, extending to between nostrils and into rt. nostril; rt. fr. coronet white. Very good bone. By Dan 4th. Dam, Cliftons Belle by *Coq Gaulois—2d dam, Delilah by Delhi.

CLIFTON'S LAD WINNER



Also listed in the above Sale is Clifton's Lad, by Coq Gaulois—Gray Bonnet, winner of many ribbons on the Show circuit. Here he is shown in a winning Corinthian performance.

COQ BRUYERE DEVELOPED AT CLIFTON FARM



Thursday,
October 26th

Yearlings,
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Prospects

Coq Bruyere, by Coq Gaulois—Madge Wildfire, is a son of Clifton Farm's premier steeplechase and hunter sire. Coq Bruyere is the leading timber horse in United States in number of victories, this year as in 1938. Coq Bruyere ran second in this year's Maryland.

Lot 11.—CHESTNUT FILLY 1938. Large star and broad connected stripe touching both nostrils and extending to below nostrils; white on chin; If. fr. ankle white, white extending almost to knee in back; rt. fr. leg white to knee; white on inside of rt. hd. coronet; white spot on ft. of rt. hd. hock; gray hairs in flanks. "Stout Filly, good bone", by Coq d'Esprit. 1st dam, Thistle Flit by Saxon—2d dam, Thistle Flit by *Spanish Prince II.

Lot 12.—BAY FILLY 1938. Rt. Fr. ankle irregularly white; inside of lf. hd. coronet white; rt. hd. ankle irregularly white. A compact stout made filly by Coq d'Esprit. 1st dam, Revoke by *Ambassador 4th (dam of Rebuff and To Tricks) 2nd dam, Misplay by Fair Play (dam of Black Flag dam of 4 winners incl. Neddle and Cross Bones) 3rd dam, Miss Hanover by Hanover winner and dam of 7 winners.

Lot 13.—GRAY GELDING 1938. Large pointed star; lf. hd. pastern irregularly white; rt. hd. coronet white. By Coq d'Esprit. 1st dam, Marge by Macaw—2nd dam *Fantan by Fitz Herbert,—3d dam *Spectrum.

Lot 14.—CLIFTONS LAD Gr. G. 1932. This is a great combination of a real hunter, hunter, hack and show horse. Has been winning regularly this year. Has been hunted 3 yrs. by a lady. When 4 yrs. old won 45 ribbons showing that summer. By *Coq Gaulois, dam Gray Bonnet by Mad Man,—2d dam Salvation Nell.

Lot 15.—WILL PREVAIL B. G. 1933. Star and connected stripe to left nostril; lf. hd. pastern white, running above fetlock in back. This horse was never in a barn nor had a bridle on until June 38. Hunted latter part of last season, has been hunted over 4ft. 8 inches good enough for an old man. By Prevail—dam Minnie Sloan by Black Pine—2d dam, Little Spray.

Lot 16.—MY VAIL B. F. 1934. Irregular star; large snip into both nostrils; both ft. pasterns white; rt. hd. leg white to above ankle. This mare is not large, but up to considerable weight, never had a bridle on until last summer, ran out all winter, has been schooled over 3 ft 8". By Prevail, dam, Little Pearl by Black Pine (son of Rock Sand), 2nd dam, Orphan Lady.

Lot 17.—UMBRIECE B. G. 1933. Star; white spot on rt. ft. heel; white spots on lf. hd. coronet and heel; rt. hd. pastern white on outside, running to fetlock in back, large black spot on outside of coronet. This horse was hunted regularly last season, at the end three times in one week. He is a tough hunter, and should give some one a lot of pleasure. By Prince of the Umbria. Dam, Morbelle by Morvich,—2d dam, LaBelle Helene by Sardanapale.

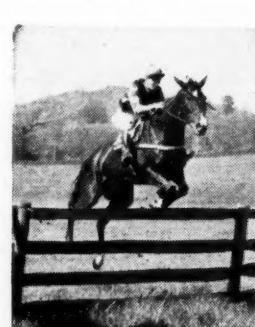
Lot 18.—CATRAX Ch. G. 1932. Star, running into stripe across rt. nostril to lip; both ft. legs and rt. hd. leg white to knees and hock; lf. hd. pastern white. A real made Hunter, has been hunted by a lady. By Alcatraz. 1st dam, Keeney Small by Barnsdale—2nd dam Bessie Keogh by Peter McCue.

Lot 19.—GOLD PIN Ch. G. 1932. This horse was hunted all of last season, and will be ready to go when season opens. By Goldstick, dam thought to be thoroughbred.

Lot 20.—GRAY Gr. G. 1936. This horse when finished should be a heavy weight, splendid manners and will be ready to hunt when season opens. By Superillusion son of Superman.

Lot 21.—BILLY JR. Br. G. 1936. This colt was bred by the late General Mitchell. His dam was hunted by him and shown in open classes. Horse up to a lot of weight, schooling over 3½ feet, very quiet. By My Broom, dam of McDonna 2nd.

CLIFTON'S FAIRY WINNER



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Included in the Sale is Clifton's Fairy, by Coq Gaulois—Alry Fairy, winner over timber in 1938, Happy Hollow Plate, Radnor, Pa.

Huntingdon Valley

The Huntingdon Valley Hunt Races which take place at Justa Farm, Huntingdon Valley, Pa., on Saturday, Oct. 7th., promises to be the best that this club has held in many years. Larger fields of highest class horses should face the start in each race. This is mainly because of the large number of local horses now in training. Three of last year's winners will be in the same races again this fall, namely Mrs. Brooks Bromley's **Shot Gun** in the Justa Farm Plate at one mile and a quarter on the flat. Mr. R. V. N. Gambrill's **Tioga** in the King's Oak Steeplechase at two miles over brush and the Sandy Woods Stable's **Little Hurd** the winner of the Master's Plate at two miles and a half over brush, except that this year, **Little Hurd** will be running under Mr. Gambrill's colors.

Owners, Horses and Weights
First Race, The Neshaminy Plate, For Three-Year-Olds and Upward, Purse \$200. About six furlongs on the flat.—Mrs. Reginald Sinclair's **Noction**, 152; Mrs. T. H. Andrews' **Castabout**, 149; E. M. Cheston's **Lady Lothian**, 138; Mrs. J. H. Elliott's **Queen Elizabeth**, 149; Cairnduff Farm's **Yeirex**, 147; Kingston Hood's **Gunga Din**, 2nd, 152; Louis Stoddard, Jr.'s **Brown Topper**, 155; Mrs. Helen B. Stetson's **Castle Rock**, 142; Mrs. Marion H. MacKenzie's **Monks Shadow**, 152; Morris Dixon's **Singing**,

BELMONT'S BROOK

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fence and drew out rapidly thereafter. Both **Rhadamanthus** and **Cottesmore** likewise moved forward after the twelfth to displace the tiring **Mad Policy** as **Rioter** went down three fences further on. **Rioter** had the wind knocked out of him and did not regain his feet for several moments. **Whaddon Chase** had ten lengths on **Rhadamanthus** as he crossed the finish and **Cottesmore** was five more lengths away for third. The added purse netted **Whaddon Chase** \$4,700.

As Belmont swung into its third week of steeplechasing, Mr. Sydney Watters, Jr., with more winning rides under his belt than any other amateur this year, brought Emile Pfizer's good **Farndale** home again on Tuesday last, heading in Log

Brook, 142, and Miss Brunner R. Hunneman's **Royal Day**, 145.

Second Race, The Justa Farm Plate, Handicap, For Three-Year-Olds and Upward, Purse, \$250. About one mile and a quarter on the flat.—Louis Stoddard, Jr.'s **Straw Boss**, 150; Woodlawn Farm's **Lost Hat**, 139; Mrs. Reginald Sinclair's **Old Dom**, 157; Mrs. Brooks Bromley's **Shot Gun**, 163; Mrs. Brooks Bromley's **Shot Up**, 158; C. Boorse's **Wishing Star**, 137, and James R. Kerr, Jr.'s **Zadora**, 149.

Third Race, King's Oak Steeplechase, For New Twentieth Running, Handicap, For Four-Year-Olds and Upward, Purse, \$400. About two miles over brush.—Mrs. G. C. West's **Trojan Racket**, 150; Philip M. Worden's **Chestnut Flash**, 135; N. S. Ludington's **Font**, 136; Woodlawn Farm's **Lost Hat**, 139; Mr. and Mrs. Roger Clapp's **Birdie**, 2nd, 135; J. G. Leiper, Jr.'s **Corky**, 147; R. V. N. Gambrill's **Cairnduff Telemark**, 145, and **Little Hurd**, 141; Cairnduff Farm's **Yeirex**, 136; W. D. Cleland's **Emma's Pet**, 136; James R. Kerr, Jr.'s **Zadora**, 144, and Louis Parks' **Crooked Wood** and Mrs. Arthur White's **Bay Dean** finishing in order behind the others.

Cabin Stud's He Goes, Greentree's **Pirate Flag** and Mrs. James Clark's campaigner **Little Cottage II**. The combine of Mr. Watters and **Farndale** won this year's National Hunt Cup and prior to his triumph over the stiff Foxcatcher course, the son of **Forerunner—Four Fours** had accounted for one of Saratoga's brush races, so this makes his third straight.

Sapelo, who scored frequently last year under the hands of Mr. Rigan McKinney, chalked up his first victory carrying the French blue, old rose and silver colors of Mrs. Marion du Pont Scott who claimed him from Thomas Hitchcock recently, when he captured the two mile Jolly Roger last Saturday, September 30. Five lengths back of **Sapelo** was Log Cabin's **He Goes**, heading in Greentree's **Tarbrush** by another two lengths. All in the field of seven completed the course, J. Brooks Parker's **Court Time**, Warner Baltazzi's **Planter's Punch**, Mrs. Louis Parks' **Crooked Wood** and Mrs. Arthur White's **Bay Dean** finishing in order behind the others.

SUMMARIES

Thursday, September 21
The Broad Hollow Steeplechase Handicap, about 2 miles, 3 & up, purse \$2,500 added; winner: Thomas Hitchcock's **b. g.**, (5), by Sortie—Incentive, by Spanish Prince II; trainer: P. Green.

First started; also ran: **Cottesmore**, 145, E. Jennings; lost rider: **Cheburek**, 149, Mr. R. G. Woolfe; time: 3:45 4-5; (12 jumps).

Friday, September 22
3 & up steeplechase, allow'ce, about 2 miles, purse \$1,200; winner: Holmdel Stable's **ch. g.**, (6), by Sea Scamp—Dimlinity, by Snob II; trainer: Elizabeth C. Bosley.

1st: **Pirate Flag** 147 W. Collins
2nd: **Cartermoer** 151 Mr. R. G. Woolfe
3rd: **Bucheur** 141 E. Jennings

Six started; also ran: **Melloray Pass**, 140, J. McGovern; **Berniquet**, 144, J. Dawson; lost rider: **Millrace**, 139, T. Roby; no official time taken, private time: 3:48; (12 jumps).

1: **Yemasee** 148 J. Mason
2nd: **Little Cottage II** 145 J. McGovern
3rd: **Fils de Liral** 140 W. King.

Six started; also ran Corrigan, 145, E. Jennings; Bagpipe, 147, T. Roby; He Goes, 145, J. Penrod; time: 3:44 3-5; (15 jumps).

Tuesday, September 25

3 & up claiming steeplechase, about 2 miles, purse \$1,200; winner: Greentree Stable's **ch. g.**, (4), by Pennant—Kenya, by St. Germain; trainer: J. M. Johnson.

1st: **Whaddon Chase** 137 J. Penrod
2nd: **Rhadamanthus** 136 Mr. J. S. Harrison

3rd: **Cottesmore** 150 Mr. R. G. Woolfe

Eight started; also ran: **Ship Executive**, 142, T. Roby; **National Anthem**, 139, G. Walker; **Mad Policy**, 153, E. Roberts; **Toolbox**, 138, J. McGovern; fell: **Rioter**, 149, A. Scott; time: 4:17; (16 jumps).

Wednesday, September 7

The Brook Steeplechase Handicap, about 2½ miles, 3 & up, purse \$5,000; winner: C. Mahlon Kline's **ch. g.**, (4), by Monk's Way—Witchery, by Peter Pan; trainer: Morris H. Dixon.

1st: **Whaddon Chase** 137 J. Penrod

2nd: **Rhadamanthus** 136 Mr. J. S. Harrison

3rd: **Cottesmore** 150 Mr. R. G. Woolfe

Nine started; also ran: **Ship Executive**, 142, T. Roby; **National Anthem**, 139, G. Walker; **Mad Policy**, 153, E. Roberts; **Toolbox**, 138, J. McGovern; fell: **Rioter**, 149, A. Scott; time: 4:17; (16 jumps).

Thursday, September 28

3 & up steeplechase, allowances, about 2 miles, purse \$1,200; winner: Greentree Stable's **ch. g.**, (4), by Pennant—Kenya, by St. Germain; trainer: J. M. Johnson.

1st: **Pirate Flag** 147 W. Collins

2nd: **Cartermoer** 151 Mr. R. G. Woolfe

3rd: **Bucheur** 141 E. Jennings

Six started; also ran: **Melloray Pass**, 140, J. McGovern; **Berniquet**, 144, J. Dawson; lost rider: **Millrace**, 139, T. Roby; no official time taken, private time: 3:48; (12 jumps).

Friday, September 29

3 & up steeplechase, claiming, about 2 miles, purse \$1,200; winner: Log Cabin Stable's **b. g.**, (6), by Sea Scamp—Dimlinity, by Snob II; trainer: Elizabeth C. Bosley.

1st: **Sapelo** 150 J. Penrod

2nd: **Kuidon II** 135 F. Maier

3rd: **Little Dan** 142 J. McGovern

Eight started; also ran: **Long Shot**, 138, H. Clements; **Quakerstreet**, 144, G. Reid; **Redmedes**, 142, G. Walker; **Fair William**, 139, J. Weipert; fell: **Flying Falcon**, 147, Mr. J. S. Harrison; time: 3:51 4-5; (12 jumps).

Saturday, September 30

3 & up steeplechase, claiming, about 2 miles, purse \$1,200; winner: Montpelier Stable's **dk. br. or br. g.**, (5), by Son of Battle—Quick Trick, by Son Flag; trainer: John Ryan.

1st: **Sapelo** 154 W. Passmore

2nd: **He Goes** 149 J. Penrod

3rd: **Tarbrush** 154 W. Collins

Seven started; **Court Time**, 142, C. Pinn; **Planters Punch**, 3, W. Leonard; **Crooked Wood**, 145, J. McGovern; **Bay Dean**, 6, C. Brooks; time: 3:49; (12 jumps).

Tuesday, October 3

4 & up steeplechase, allowances, about 2½ miles, purse \$1,200; winner: Emile Pfizer's **b. g.**, (4), by Forerunner—Four Fours, by Theo Bold; trainer: Oleg T. Dubassoff.

1st: **Farndale** 148 Mr. S. Watters, Jr.

2nd: **He Goes** 145 J. Penrod

3rd: **Pirate Flag** 148 W. Collins

Four started; also ran: **Little Cottage II**, 147, J. Magee; time: 4:38 2-5; (15 jumps).

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SHOW HORSES

MAYRING, ch. g. 16.3, 8, by San Utar—Clara Belle, by Peter Quince. This Heavyweight, shown with great success, winning among other Models, the coveted Wilmington Horse Show Model. Hunted all last season with Piedmont.

RENEGADE, br. g., 16., 2, by Mirafell—Miss Connolly, by *Masked Marvel II. A colt with tremendous quality—one of highest class Two Year Olds in Virginia. Never been shown. Top prospect for Three Year Old Championship at Warrenton in 1940.

HIGHLAND ACE, b. g. 16.1 ½, 3, by Byrd—Lady Delhi, by Delhi. Won Three Year Old Classes at Upperville. Champion Three Year Old at Bath County. An unusual high class middleweight show horse; is extraordinary jumper, beautiful mover.

WOODSCOTCH, ch. g., 16., 5, by Woodcraft—Scotch Waac. Full brother to Scotchwood, Three Year Old Champion of Virginia, 1938 and Woodwac, 4, winner of seven straight races on the flat last fall. This top-lightweight hunted regularly last season with Middleburg and Piedmont. Ideal Ladies' conveyance to Hounds, with the manners and quality of a Ladies' hunter.

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STALLIONS

GALLANT MAC, br. h. 1931 by *Bright Knight—Ethel Gray.
*QUATRE BRAS II, bay h. 1928 by *Teddy—Plucky Liege.

*STROLLING PLAYER, ch. h. 1925 by Grand Parade—Comedienne.
TRACE CALL, blk. h. 1930 by Call Boy—*Tracedes.

YEARLING COLTS

b. c. by *Quatre Bras II—Beauty Star by Sweep.
br. c. by Trace Call—Bright Ethel by Gallant Knight or *Bright Knight.
ch. c. by Woodcraft—Brown Study by *Brown Prince II.
ch. c. by *Strolling Player—Croonerette by *Bright Knight.
ch. c. by *Strolling Player—Gay Heart by *Bright Knight.
b. c. by *Quatre Bras II—Gayoso by High Time.
ch. c. by Trace Call—Giggling by Pompey.

ch. c. by Trace Call—Pamalette by *Bright Knight.
b. c. by *Bright Knight—Rock Haven by Trap Rock.
b. c. by Trace Call—Sun Etoile by *Sun Briar.
ch. c. by Trace Call—Tehani by *Carlaris.
b. c. by Trace Call—Trousseau by Lucky Hour.
ch. c. by Trace Call—Wise Legend by Wisdom.
ch. c. by Trace Call—Miss Hoptown by St. Henry.

YEARLING FILLIES

b. f. by *Bright Knight—Ann C. by Rockminister.
b. f. by Gallant Mac—Emkayee by St. Henry.
ch. f. by *Strolling Player—Fairlee by *Bright Knight.
b. f. by Coldstream—Gay Polka by Pompey.
b. f. by Gallant Mac—Goldina by Golden Myth.
b. f. by *Bright Knight—Lady Louise by Ormondale.
br. f. by Zacaewista—Light Pam by *Light Brigade.
ch. f. by Discovery—Mary Borah by High Cloud.

b. f. by *Strolling Player—Memorina by *Bright Knight.
b. f. by *Quatre Bras II—Merry Time by High Time.
b. f. by *Bright Knight—Rock Fern by Trap Rock.
b. f. by Gallant Mac—Silver Buckle by St. Henry.
b. f. by Trace Call—Silver Lustre by *The Satrap.
b. f. by *Strolling Player—Silver Slippers by *Ambassador IV.
b. f. by *Bright Knight—*War News by *Spanish Prince II.
ch. f. by *Bright Knight—Henrina by St. Henry.

BROOD MARES AND FOALS (To Be Sold Separately)

AMATEUR GIRL, ch. m. 1934 by *Strolling Player—Halicore (bred to Pilate and in foal).
ANN C, ch. m. 1927 by Rockminister—Ocirena (b. c. by *Bright Knight at side—barren this year).
AUDLEY GIRL, b. m. 1935 by *Bright Knight—Princess Doreen (bred to *Strolling Player and in foal).
BEAUTY STAR, b. m. by Sweep—La Daine (b. f. by *Quatre Bras II at side—bred to *Quatre Bras II and in foal).
BRIGHT ETHEL, b. m. 1934 by Gallant Knight or *Bright Knight Ethel J. II (b. f. by Pilate at side—bred to Trace Call and in foal).
BRIGHT SONINA, ch. m. 1935 by Gallant Knight or *Bright Knight Sonina (bred to *Belfonds, but barren this year).
BROWN STUDY, b. m. 1924 by *Brown Prince II—Prodigy (b. f. by *Belfonds at side—bred to *Belfonds and in foal).
CARBINA, b. m. 1931 by Supremus—Carabine (b. c. by Coldstream at side—bred to Coldstream with result in doubt).
CROONERETTE, ch. m. 1934 by *Bright Knight—Recreation (ch. c. by Trace Call at side—bred to *Quatre Bras II and in foal).
DONA JUANA, b. m. 1924 by Hurry On—Sigrid (b. c. by *Strolling Player at side—bred to *Quatre Bras II and in foal).
EASTER SOX, ch. m. 1930 by Sir Barton—Irish Lassie (bred to Gallant Mac and in foal).
EMAKAYTEE, ch. m. 1934 by St. Henry—*Goldina (bred to *Quatre Bras II and in foal).
ETHEL J. II, b. m. 1926 by Bachelors Double—Young Stella (bred to *Belfonds and in foal).
*FELINA II, ch. m. 1920 by Swynford—Fifinella (b. c. by Bull Dog at side—bred to Zacaewista with result in doubt).
GAY KNIGHTESS, br. m. 1932 by *Bright Knight—Ethel Gray (b. c. by Bull Dog at side—bred to Zacaewista with result in doubt).
GAYOSO, br. m. 1925 by High Time—Jacolina (b. c. by *Quatre Bras II at side—bred to *Quatre Bras II, but barren).
GAY POLKA, b. m. 1931 by Pompey—Masked Dancer (blk. c. by Trace Call at side—bred to *Quatre Bras II, but barren).
GAYTAN, b. m. 1936 by *Lancegaye—Brown Study (bred to *Strolling Player and in foal).
GIGGLING, b. m. 1931 by Pompey—Giggles (gr. c. by *Belfonds at side—bred to Gallant Knight, then Trace Call and in foal).
GOLDINA, ch. m. 1925 by Golden Myth—*Felina II (bred to Gallant Mac but barren).
HIGHLAND BELLE, b. m. 1928 by High Cloud—Charlebelle (b. f. by Pilate at side—bred to *Quatre Bras II but barren).
KNIGHT'S FERN b. m. 1925 by *Bright Knight—Rock Fern (bred to *Quatre Bras II and in foal).
KNIGHT'S GAL, br. m. 1930 by *Bright Knight—Ethel Gray (bred to *Quatre Bras II, but barren).
KNIGHT'S NURSE, b. or br. m. by *Bright Knight—Florence Nightingale (b. f. by *Strolling Player at side—bred to *Quatre Bras II and in foal).
LIGHT PAM, br. m. 1929 by *Light Brigade—*Pamfleta (ch. c. by Pilate at side, bred to Gallant Knight, then *Bright Knight and in foal).

LADY DEVOTION, ch. m. 1935 by St. Henry—Lady Louise (bred to Gallant Knight, then *Strolling Player and pronounced in foal).
LILLABELLE, b. m. 1927 by Buchan—*Charlebelle (b. f. by *Quatre Bras II at side—bred to *Quatre Bras II and in foal).
LITTLE WING, b. m. 1930 by Emissary—White Wings (b. c. by Trace Call at side—bred to *Strolling Player and in foal).
MARCELLA MISS, b. m. 1932 by *Pharamond II—Miss Marcella (b. c. by *Quatre Bras II at side—bred to *Quatre Bras II and in foal).
MINNA DEEN, ch. m. 1934 by Sir Barton—Matin (bred to *Strolling Player, but barren).
OCIRENA, ch. m. 1921 by Ormondale—Cerina (ch. f. by Trace Call at side—bred to *Quatre Bras II, but barren).
PAMALETTE, b. m. by *Bright Knight—Light Pam (bred to Trace Call and in foal).
POLLY FLAG, b. m. 1932 by American Flag—Polly Pennant (b. f. by *Quatre Bras II at side—bred to *Quatre Bras II, but barren).
ROCK FERN, b. m. 1923 by Trap Rock—Lady Fern (b. f. by *Bright Knight at side—bred to *Bright Knight and in foal).
ROCK HAVEN, b. m. 1921 by Trap Rock—*New Haven II (b. f. by *Bright Knight at side—bred to *Bright Knight and in foal).
RUMMOND, b. m. 1930 by *Pharamond II—Rumbling (bred to Trace Call and in foal).
SILVER BUCKLE, b. m. 1934 by St. Henry—Silver Slippers (b. f. by Gallant Mac at side—bred to Gallant Knight, then *Strolling Player and in foal).
SILVER LUSTRE, gr. m., 1928 by *The Satrap—Lustre Hour (gr. f. by Trace Call at side—bred to Trace Call, but barren).
*SONINA, br. m. 1926, by Son-in-Law—*Felina II (bred to Pilate and in foal).
STROLLINA, ch. m. 1935 by *Strolling Player—*Felina II (bred to Gallant Knight, then *Bright Knight and in foal).
SUN ETOILE, b. m. 1933 by *Sun Briar—*Torque (b. f. by Trace Call at side—bred to Trace Call and in foal).
SWEEPSTICK, br. m. 1925 by Broomstick—*Eager Cissy (b. f. by Gallant Mac at side—bred to *Quatre Bras II and in foal).
TEHANIE, ch. m. 1933 by Carlaris—Sister Ship (b. c. by *Quatre Bras II at side—bred to *Quatre Bras II and in foal).
TINY KNIGHTESS, b. m. 1935 by *Bright Knight—Princess Tina (bred to Trace Call and in foal).
VOLGA, b. m. 1926 by *Paragon II—La Russe (gr. f. by *Belfonds at side—bred to Gallant Knight, then Cloth O'Gold and in foal).
WAR NEWS, b. m. 1936, by *Spanish Prince II—Verity (b. f. by Gallant Mac at side—bred to Gallant Mac and in foal).
WEE COLLEEN, ch. m. 1934 by St. Henry—Wee Shane (ch. c. by Pilate at side—bred to Trace Call and in foal).
WEE WOODY, b. m. 1936 by Woodcraft—Wee Shant (bred to Trace Call and in foal).
WEE SHANE, b. m. 1928 by *Bright Knight—Irish Lassie (ch. c. by *Strolling Player—bred to *Quatre Bras II and in foal).
WEE LEGEND, b. m. 1932 by Wisdom—*Bright Legend (bred to Trace Call, but barren).

AUDLEY FARM IS ON STATE HIGHWAY NO. 7, AND IS LOCATED ONE MILE EAST OF BERRYVILLE, CLARKE COUNTY AND 12 MILES EAST OF WINCHESTER. A MAP TO SHOW THE WAY FROM ALL NEIGHBORING POINTS WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE CATALOGUE.

Sale to be held at Audley Farm, Oct. 27

ORANGE COUNTY

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Hounds: "I have never heard such music in my life. It was glorious, a symphony in autumnal grandeur."

Orange County Hounds have been cubbing regularly, but have been taken to the higher country, back of the Kennels. Due to the distance of these earlier meets, few have been out, for it means much hacking over the hard roads. The "Rolling Plains" meeting brought out many for their first experience with Hounds this season.



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Toronto and North York Hounds went out on Saturday, Sept. 16th., for the seventh time this season, but it was not a hunting morn with the temperature at 75, where it had been practically all night.

Hounds, sixteen couples, met at Foxley Green, Mr. M. D. Richardson's Farm, and moved off behind Mr. Timothy Eaton, Field-Master, in the absence of the joint-Masters, Lady Eaton and Mr. AEmilius Jarvis. They drew covert here and crossed the ravine going north. The Huntsman's horse, Waterford, had an accident here, jumping into a hole on the far side of a fence. Levett was shaken up and the horse received several wire cuts so he and Mr. Elder exchanged horses and Waterford was taken back to the Kennels.

Hounds crossed the ravine and swamp moving south over Wellington Street into Mr. Mitchell's Farm. From here on there was quite a fast run south over Mr. Clark's, Mr. Bateman's, Mr. Casey's and Col. Timmins' to the Green Lane. Jumping in these parts was tricky, there being much wire and the going rather rough owing to quantities of loose stones.

In the Green Lane, the Huntsman collected his Hounds and rode west to the corner of the third concession. Here it was decided to call it a day on account of the heat and Hounds were ordered back to Kennels.

Hounds met at Highview Farm on Wednesday, Sept. 20th., Mr. Walter Bovair's place. Mr. Bovair is a descendant of one of the French emigres brought to this country by Comte de Chalus and Mr. Quentin St. George. He is jocularly referred to by the

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field as Monsieur Le Marquis, and always has a warm welcome for them. On this occasion he was extremely mortified at remembering, as the Hounds moved off, that he had built a new wire fence on the farm and had not reported it to the Master so that it could be panelled.

It was a beautiful morning with the valley to the south as far as the eye could see east and west inundated with white mist making it appear as a long lake with the tops of the trees and coverts forming islands. Across the lake there twinkled two or three lonely lights.

Lady Eaton and Mr. AEmilius Jarvis, the joint-Masters, were in the saddle and also Maj. and Mrs. Clifford Sifton for the first time this season, and Miss Florence Eaton. Miss Keith from the Warwickshire country rode alongside her friend Miss Margaret Eaton; Mr. R. R. Brown, Mr. Holton, Miss Joan Taylor, Miss Gurney, Mr. Richardson and others were also out.

Three of the ladies, including the Master, rode side-saddle.

Hounds moved off at seven o'clock to the westward, but no coverts were drawn until they reached the rear of Mr. Alex McLennan's farm where a line was picked up which carried them across the third concession into the meadows of Eaton Hall Farm where there was a burning scent, breast high, and Hounds fanned over a stream across the meadow to the sideline and back again to the rear of the estate giving volumes of tongue. At this point a young boy with large blue eyes riding a heavy farm horse and driving cows ahead of him west became as excited as the field, or more so. After helping one of the motorists to keep the cows from heading off Hounds by galloping in a way the horse had never galloped, he burst forth with a real boy's question: "Have they killed the fox?"

North, Hounds raced until they divided for some minutes. Uniting again they still ran north until they checked in the rough land on Mr. Hare's place. Making several casts, Levett soon had them going again northward over the Green Lane through Mr. Edward's Farm, bearing left handed into Mr. Ball's then over the hills at the back of Mr. Ferguson's. Here again they faulted but a cast forward slightly right handed picked up the line again in Mr. Creedon's. Still running north they crossed Wellington Street and picked up the line again on the marshy land on Mr. Patrick's and Mr. Teasdale's farms. Away they ran at a great pace, right handed over Mr. Johnson's and Mr. Morning's lands, where they crossed the second concession and ran into a cub in a covert at the back of St. Andrew's College, which they speedily chopped up.

The first afternoon meet was held on Saturday, Sept. 23rd., in the village of Queensville. One can readily understand the pleasure the field derives in meeting here when one sees the numbers of residents of this district awaiting Hounds, their faces wreathed in smiles of welcome and pleasure. Numbers of boys on foot and on bicycles started off with Hounds and some went a long way.

It was a grand hunting day, gray skies and good scent, and the right temperature with a breeze from the south east. At half-past two, sharp, the Master, Mr. AEmilius Jarvis ordered east along the Queensville sideline to the south of which Hounds were put into a cedar grove. The first fence from the road was a good height and down grade so that

horses landed considerably below their take-off.

Hounds jumped a hare but were speedily called off. They now followed a valley, working well for a considerable distance. Having crossed the sideline, Ruby spoke. The pack ran in full cry into a thick wood, the field skirting it westward, evidently fouled the line, but eventually Limerick picked it up again. Levett encouraged Hounds to follow him over swampy ground to the south west and left handed on Mr. Fairbairn's Farm into a thick grove of stunted cedars. Jumping into this, the second Whip took a nasty looking fall. This caused delay and the leading Hounds, Ruby, Rufus, Fortune, Welcome and Valesman, got away, killing their fox on the Mt. Albert Highway, two miles to the south. After a little time, the remainder of the pack picked up the line which had been fouled, mainly by cars on the sideline. Hounds were taken across the Mt. Albert Highway and thrown in Mr. Ash's coverts. They swung east and sharply to the south into Mr. Shaw's Farm and pretty well in a straight line over two farms through Mr. Pinder's Farm where the Master had a fall, his horse crossing his feet in a ploughed field. As it was just a shoulder injury, Maj. Sifton was asked to carry on while Mr. Jarvis found his way to the road. Hounds

continued first left and then right through Mr. Eves', Mr. Hamilton's and Mr. Church's Farms where the fox went to ground at the back of Mr. Lunney's and Hounds were ordered back to Kennels.

There were several visitors out: Mr. John Payman, who hunts with the Cleveland in Yorkshire, England; Miss Keith who hunts with the North Warwickshire and Mr. Linton Rigg, who hunts with various packs in the U. S. A.—"Aurora Banner."

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Holystone Awarded Piping Rock Show Championship

It was almost dark and a thick fog was blowing in from the ocean when, on the evening of September 30th, the Committee of the Piping Rock Horse Show sent the highest point winner of their various hunter classes into three different rings and appointed Judges to choose the Champions of the Divisions.

In the North ring Crispin Oglebay's **Holystone** was named best of the Lightweights with Mrs. Norman K. Toerge's **Camp** reserve. After due deliberation, and a ride or two on the entries, Judges put Sunwood Farm's



MISS CLELAND AND HOLYSTONE

Bond Street over Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Untermyer's **Illuminator** for the Middleweight Championship and down in the south corner, Miss Deborah Rood's big gray **Dublin Venture** won the Heavyweight Championship over Mrs. E. Gardner Prime's **Ballela**. There wasn't much of a squabble when Mrs. James A. Hewlett on **Locket** and Mrs. Harvey D. Gibson on **Graystone** rode in for the local Championship, because both horses belonged to Mr. Gibson and were placed in the order named. Then for the Grand Championship **Holystone** was chosen with **Bond Street** Reserve and through the misty dusk taps was blown on one of the greatest shows in Piping Rock's history.



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There was not one of the above Champions that had not performed consistently and honestly throughout the show. Ridden by Miss Muriel Cleland, **Holystone** scarcely put in even so much as a questionable stride. **Camp** was at his best, ridden in many of his classes by Miss Elizabeth Hyland, and occasionally by his owner Mrs. Toerge, his performances were airy and brilliant and if he would only jog with the activity he shows over the fences, he might have pushed the winner even closer. **Bond Street** ridden by Mrs. Charles B. Lyman was a strong, safe, honest going hunter in every class. **Illuminator**, under Miss Patricia Bolling, a brilliant "first flitter" and the two heavyweights, **Dublin Venture** and **Ballela** ridden by Miss Deborah Rood and Arthur McCashin, were certainly up to carrying the required 210 pounds and, probably, a good deal more besides. And to qualify for these Championships every one of these horses had to win over excellent competition from large classes of horses that were all turning in superlative performances.

The Hunt Team Classes at Piping Rock were, probably, the best that anyone has ever seen on this side of the Atlantic and of the two, the one shown Saturday afternoon was the best. Escorted into the ring by the Meadow Brook Hounds to the tune of John Peel, ten teams paraded past the grandstand and as they all left the ring at a gallop, a feeling of unusual anticipation went through the crowd. Then as one practically perfect performance followed another, even the most blasé of the habitués caught the excitement. The Bob Tail Bays were smart, trappy and even. The Long Island Grays were especially attractive under their perfectly appointed side-saddle riders and their performance was well mannered, clean and nicely spaced. The Long Island Bays went well and so did the Foxcatchers.

A team headed by Miss Anne Miller on **Orphan Boy** with Petty on Mrs. S. C. Register's **Big Severn** in second place and Miss Joan Townsend on Glendhu Farm's **Glenara** bringing up the rear jumped and galloped especially well.

There wasn't, in fact, one single performance that couldn't be scored G. for good; but when Mr. Crispin Oglebay's team, consisting of his **Holystone** and **Question**, ridden by Muriel Cleland and Mitchell, and Mr. Untermyer's **Illuminator** ridden by Lewis swept around the outside course as if with Hounds on a red hot scent, it was a truly sensational exhibition, one of those things that will be remembered during Hunt Team classes for many years to come.

Although his conformation may not be quite according to Hoyle, Crittenden Adams' **Middleton**, winner of the Jumper Championship, is one of those horses that almost anyone would like to have for a hunter. This wise gray has an unusually intelligent head and eye, jumps in splended form and doesn't have to be ridden all sorts of ways to get over his fences

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Teddy Patic, 5, ch. h. (Simpatica, by Friar Rock), Lau., Oct. 3, 6 f., cl.....	800
Hurry Ann, 3, dk. b. f. (Snifty Ann, by Mainmast), RkP., Sept. 27, 1 mi., cl.....	800
Silver Trace, 4, b. f. (Silver Slippers, by Ambassador IV), RkP., Sept. 30, 1 1-16 mi., cl.....	800
Trim Stepper, 2, ch. f. (Hot Stepper, by Pot au Feu), Cv., Sept. 27, 6 f., cl.....	825
Acute, 4, ch. g. (Subtle, by Huon), Det., Sept. 29, 1 1-16 mi., cl.....	825
Wegoway, 6, b. g. (Dolly Seth, by Seth), Hw., Sept. 30, 1 1-16 mi., cl.....	850
Sack, 2, ch. g. (Fantastic, by Hannibal), HG., Sept. 28, 6 f., cl.....	850
Candescent, 8, b. m. (Papillon, by Wrack), Det., Sept. 27, 6 f., 'Cap.....	700
Abrasion, 2, ch. g. (Regency, by St. James), HG., Sept. 27, 6 f., allow'ce.....	700
Steepetop, 5, dk. b. h. (Lady Legend, by Dark Legend), RkP., Sept. 28, 1 1/2 mi., cl.....	800
Garnith, 2, b. f. (Wise Mollie, by Wise Counsellor), HG., Sept. 28, 6 f., M. Sp. W.....	750
Challedon, 3, b. c. (Laura Gal, by Sir Gallahad III), HG., Sept. 30, 1 1/2 mi., cl.....	750
Havre de Grace 'Cap.....	13,200
Journey On, 5, br. g. (Elopement, by High Noon), Bel., Oct. 2, 1 1-16 mi., Class C 'Cap.....	885
ETCETERA-WRACK	800
Red Eye, 3, ch. f. (Charred Keg, by Stimulus), Bel., Sept. 28, 1 mi., Ladies' 'Cap.....	5,000
Loveday, 3, ch. f. (Friar's Love, by Friar Rock), RkP., Sept. 29, 1 mi., allow'ce.....	750
Petard, 6, b. g. (Superiority, by Gnome), SpP., Oct. 2, 1 1-16 mi., cl.....	550
SIR GREESTEEL	800
White Hot, 5, ch. g. (Miss White, by Clero), Bel., Oct. 2, 1 1-16 mi., cl.....	700
THEATRICAL	800
Part One, 3, ch. g. (Parto, by The Porter), HG., Sept. 29, 1 mi. & 70 yds., cl.....	700
TROJAN	800
In Front, 6, b. g. (Sister Superior, by Superman), Wbn., Sept. 29, 6 f., cl., d. h.....	160

clean. Reserve jumpers resulted in a tie between Mrs. Edward Lasker's **Modernistic**, who had been well ridden through the show by his owner, and May Top Stable's **Bartender** but M. W. Smith was lucky enough to win the toss and so **Bartender** won.

Breeding classes were encouraging, considering the location, and some pretty good prospects were exhibited. Yearlings to be remembered are Stephen E. Budd's **Espinda**, Espino-Golden Reed, Mrs. Dee F. Brechin's **Belle Gallant**, Gallant Prince-Firmamint and Mrs. S. C. Register's beautiful **Traumer** colt, **Helicoper**, a showy youngster with both substance and presence.

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ABINGTON HILLS HUNT CLUB

Scranton,
Pennsylvania.
Established 1922.
Recognized 1929.



Club, supported by dues. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, maroon collar piped in white, yellow waistcoat, white breeches; evening—scarlet, maroon collar piped in white, with white lapels. Joint Masters: (1930) Mortimer B. Fuller, Jr., and (1936) Mrs. M. L. White. Honorary Secretary: Maj. L. White. Huntsman: (professional) Harry Derr. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Dr. William Howell and F. Emmett Kearney. Foxhounds: 3½ couples cross-bred, 8 couples American. Kennels at Clark's Summit. Fox and drag hunting: August 16 to February 15, weather permitting, three days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation. Hotel accommodations at Scranton, 10 miles from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Horse Show in August; Hunter Trials in October. Hounds went out 49 times last season.

Country is about 20 miles square, farm land, wooded sections, and hilly. Jumps are stone walls, paneled wire, post-and-rail.

Fox hunting: October 1 to April 1. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, voluntary subscription. Hotel accommodations at several inns within easy reach of kennels. Hunters can be rented from Fox Brothers at Greenwood. Hounds went out 70 times last season. Rough, hilly country. Rail fences, some paneling in wire. Area—average 15 by 20 miles.

ARAPAHOE HUNT

Route 1, Box 62,
Littleton,
Colorado.
Established 1929.
Recognized 1934.



Club supported by dues. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet; evening—scarlet, with cactus-green lapels. Master: (1932) Lawrence C. Phipps, Jr. Honorary Secretary: Maj. H. R. K. Tompkins. Huntsman: (professional) George Beeman. Whippers-In: (professional) Jack Beeman, and Stuart Morelli. Foxhounds: 21 couples English. Kennels on Diamond K South ranch, 2 miles south, one mile east of Acequia. Fox and coyote hunting: October 1 to April 1, two days a week. Visitors welcome; no cap. Hotel accommodations at Denver, 20 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from riding school in Denver. Hounds went out 45 times last season.

Country is approximately 12 by 10 to 12 miles. The north half of the Hunt territory is rolling plains; the south half is rather rough. Along watercourses there is some timber and scrub oak. The boundary fences are barbed wire in which panels and gates have been installed by the Hunt or by property owners.

AIKEN DRAG HUNT

Aiken,
South Carolina.
Established 1914.
Recognized 1918.



Private pack, supported by Hunt subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Dark green, with pale yellow collar. Joint Masters: (1934) Mrs. Averell Clark and (1937) Rigan McKinney. Honorary Secretary: Bayard Warren. Huntsman: (Honorary) Rigan McKinney. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Dunbar Bostwick, Miss Lily Warren, Howard Fair, Barney Baulding. Foxhounds: 8 couples English. Kennels at Aiken. Drag hunting: January 1 to April 1, three days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt; if more than once, they usually subscribe. All hotels in Aiken are convenient. Hunters can be rented from William Gaylard and Glover's Riding School, \$6 on Saturdays and \$10 on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Horse Show and Race Meet in March.

The radius of the country is 10 miles, with about 18 miles of drag lines—wide "allees" cut through the woods, with timber fences built with brush on either side making the fences about 8 feet wide. These drag lines meet at different points so they can be interchanged and run either way with great variation.

ALBEMARLE HOUNDS

Greenwood,
Virginia.
Established 1841, 1935.



Successor to Albemarle County Hunt country. Supported by subscriptions. Hunt livery: Grey Melton. Master: (1935) John T. Carpenter. Honorary Secretary: Harrison Waite. Huntsman: The Master. Whippers-In: (professional) Robert Bailes. Foxhounds: 10 couples American. Kennels at Greenwood.

"Like a kestrel chasing, like a sickle reaping,
Like all things swooping, like all things sweeping,
Like a Hound for stay, like a stag for swift,
With his shadow beside like spinning drift."—Reynard The Fox.

ARTILLERY HUNT

Fort Sill,
Oklahoma.
Established 1926.
Recognized 1927.



Supported by dues and subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, with black collar, yellow waistcoat, white breeches; evening—scarlet, black collar and facings, black trousers and waistcoat. Master: (1939) Col. L. P. Collins. Honorary Secretary: Capt. John C. Oakes. Huntsman: (Honorary) Capt. G. Bryan Conrad. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Capt. W. A. Samduce, Capt. E. L. Andrews, Capt. J. C. Oakes, Lt. Col. J. McCallum, Major Onslow Rolfe, Lt. Albert Watson, II, and Capt. Lewis S. Griffing. Kennelman: Sergeant Albert H. Lowery. Foxhounds: 20 couples American, some of English cross. Kennels at Fort Sill. Coyote and drag hunting: October 1 to April 30, two days a week. Strangers and visitors permitted to hunt, on invitation; members of other Hunts always welcome. Accommodations, Midland Hotel, Lawton, 6 miles from kennels. The Hunt will mount all guests. Horse Show or Race Meetings held between May 15 and June 10; Hunter Trials December and April. Hounds went out 100 times last season.

Country 15 by 20 miles, hills, plains and river bottoms, wooded and open. Jumps are streams, hedges, and panel fences.

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The Side Saddle Seat

By Mrs. Robert E. Strawbridge

Editor's Note: The Chronicle is particularly grateful to Mrs. Strawbridge for this article on the Side Saddle which the author so kindly contributed at our request first because of the intrinsic worth of her words, and secondly because Mrs. Strawbridge is one of the most outstanding women to Hounds in this country and in England. She can speak with an authority that few have the experience to command.

It has seemed to me for some time now that the side saddle is coming back into its own again, and as I have always been a strong advocate of this method of riding for women, I am delighted for various reasons—

First and foremost—safety and comfort which are the two essentials—and then last but not least, appearance.

I was once told by a past master in the art of equitation, the Earl of Lonsdale, the first consideration in riding and equipment is comfort to one's horse and to oneself.

Having spent a large part of my life in the saddle, and many long hours in the hunting field, I firmly believe that both comfort and security are best found in the well fitting side saddle.

First the question of security. We all know if one is not absolutely secure in the saddle, it is impossible to properly balance one's horse and the hands cannot be light on the reins—riding as one should as though they were made of thread and easily broken. Our anatomy is not such that we have the same grip as a man—thighs being round so that they roll on the saddle a bit—not have we the real physical strength to grip a horse hard—and this is where the great value of the side saddle with its pommels comes in. A woman sitting properly, with the correct length of leather, has really a very strong seat at all times, and in all positions, and it leaves the upper part of the body quite free, thereby making the arms and hands light on the rein.

There are various opinions as to the seat, grip of pommels, and length of leather. I have discussed this subject with many fine side saddle riders who have more or less agreed on the same method, which is the seat with a moderately long leather allowing one enough freedom to ride a good deal from balance. I have seen some ride with the extra long leather and the left leg hanging practically straight. At one time it was considered rather a "smart" way of riding, but I am convinced it is wrong, as it stands to reason if one is always reaching for the iron, one cannot sit in the right place at all times on one's horse, and the weight not evenly distributed frequently pulls the saddle over on the near side.

The left leg should hang about as a man's does, and in the middle of the horse—never back against his side or sticking out in front on his shoulder. If the leg is far enough off the lower pommel for freedom, one should always be comfortable and secure. The short leather with the leg tight against the pommel as in a vice, is as bad as the extra long leather, as it allows no freedom of the upper part of the body, and if the unexpected happens, such as a buck or a horse putting his head down, one is thrown out of the "plate".

The correct distance from the lower pommel should allow one to reach the iron easily and by pressing down on it, reach the pommel to grip it with the thigh, not just above the knee. The real grip comes with the right leg on the pommel—this too should not be just at the knee but a little back from it to allow more freedom. The ideal seat is in the middle of the saddle and riding largely from balance, gripping the top pommel and the balance from the iron. I have found by this method one can trot a great distance without fatigue, and also that most difficult pace of all, the Hounds' jog can be done easily. As for the canter and gallop, one is more secure and able to balance one's horse properly in all paces and positions.

There is no reason on the modern saddle to be cramped or uncomfortable at any time, with the back quite straight. Easy riding with the proper length of leather and correct seat allows the rider the proper length of rein, and the weight comes in the right place on the horse—not on his loins which is tiring to him—but on his forepart where he can carry it best.

This cannot be managed with either the extra long leather or the very short one. One has more use of the left leg if it is free—for instance, for using a spur. This is a difficult thing for a woman to do and only the most expert should try. Riding this way one hardly feels fatigue after the longest day as the seat is natural and light and easy on the horse.

Now as to the saddle. The modern one is most comfortable, both for rider and the horse—as it is much lighter being built on a smaller scale than the ones of old. However, I believe in having the seat of the saddle plenty large as the more bearing on the back of the horse, the easier for him, and as close to his back as possible—no more padding than necessary—this keeping it close and preventing rolling. The pommels quite a distance apart as that gives one a stronger grip and more natural seat.

Most women prefer the wide pommel. Personally, I have always ridden in the smaller ones and prefer them—purely a matter of comfort.

Also the modern straight seat without the old "dip" in it is much more comfortable as it enables me to sit quite straight without bending at the waist. The doeskin seat and pommels are also a great improvement. I have ridden in Owen saddles for twenty years and much prefer them, but both Whippiey and Champion and Wilton make fine side saddles. The great thing and (one of the most difficult) is to fit the saddle to both horse and rider and as trees vary in width, shape and size, this should be most carefully done. One cannot expect not to rub or chafe a horse's back if the saddle does not fit trim.

Hunting in England I had a saddle for nearly every horse—the days there being long and hard and the going so deep—but in this country I never found that necessary. Riding two horses a day in England required considerably more horses, therefore, more saddles, but here one should be able to manage with two or three. A narrow tree, a wide tree and a general fitting. The great difficulty here is to have them properly fitted to the horse—if they require any changes made.

The last few seasons I have used an Illsley rubber numnah on all my horses—I hate the looks of them, but the comfort is unbelievable. It makes

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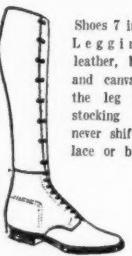
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BATH COUNTY HOUNDS

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Established 1932.
Recognized 1934.



Private pack, supported by the Master, with about \$200 of checks toward a paneling fund and a \$2 capping fee from any guests. Hunt livery and colors: Woodsman green, scarlet collar and waistcoat for fox hunting; scarlet, collar and waistcoat for drag; no evening dress. Master: (1932) Mrs. Fay Ingalls. Huntsman: The Master hunts the drag hounds; (Honorary) Cecil Tuke, Walter Phillips, and Miss Susie Ingalls. Foxhounds: 13½ couples American; 1½ couples English; 8 couples crossbred. Kennels by the Master's house, Hot Springs. Fox and drag hunting: October to December and March 15 to May 1. Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays drag; December 1 to March 15, Mondays and Saturdays fox. Wednesdays drag. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by invitation, and they pay a \$2 capping fee. Accommodations at The Homestead, Hot Springs, about a mile from kennels. Hunters can be rented from the Virginia Hot Springs Co., who keep about 50 horses, at \$10 per hunt, or from the Independent Liveries. Horse Show every August. Hounds went out 48 times last season.

Rough fox-hunting country approximately 17 by 5 miles; mountainous, rocky, and steep, with many gray foxes, some reds; beautiful drag country with natural rail fences, post-and-rail panels, logs, ditches. Very few chuck-en coops or stone walls.

BATTLE CREEK HUNT

Battle Creek,
Michigan.
Established 1929.
Recognized 1934.



Supported by subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, dark-blue collar; evening—scarlet, white silk facings. Joint Masters: (1929) Stuart Pritchard, M. D., and (1937) Frank E. Bechmann. Honorary Secretary: Dr. Emory W. Morris. Huntsman: (Honorary) L. J. Sarvis. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Dr. Emory W. Morris, Glenn Cross, Capt. Clare Passink. Foxhounds: 10 couples English; 2½ couples American. Kennels on Riverside Drive, Battle Creek. Fox and drag hunting: Two days a week, from September 1st until cold weather (end of November); for hunting throughout winter months when weather permits. Visitors are welcome through invitation of Hunt members. Accommodations at Hart Hotel or Post Tavern, both at Battle Creek, short distance from club. A few hunters may be rented from the club. Horse Shows and Hunter Course racing are planned at club grounds in late spring and early fall. Hounds went out thirty times last season.

Hilly, rough country approximately 20 by 15 miles; including sandy, low, thickly wooded portions and open woods, much of which is entirely uncultivated and with few roads across it. 12,500 acres panted and about 14,000 or 15,000 more unfenced and wild, make excellent hunting country for both fox and drag hunting.

BEAUFORT HUNT

R. D. 2, Harrisburg,
Pennsylvania.
Established 1929.
Recognized 1934.



Supported by membership dues. Hunt livery and colors: Blue, buff trimmings; evening—scarlet, with buff facings and blue collar. Master: (1929) Elmer B. Mitchell. Honorary Secretary: Fred C. Morgan. Huntsman: The Master. Field Master: Dr. George R. Moffitt. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Farley Gannett, Capt. Wm. S. Bailey, Paul R. Gable and Drew Hiestand. Foxhounds: 20 couples American and some crossbred. Kennels at Beaufort Farms, 3 miles northeast of Harrisburg along the Littlestown Road. Fox and drag hunting: September 20 to March 1, two days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation. Members of other Hunts are welcome. See Secretary or Master. Accommodations at Harrisburg Hotel or Penn-Harris Hotel, 5 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from several renting stables. Harrisburg Horse Show held in September. Beaufort Fox Hunt Pack Trials and Hunter Trials in October. Hounds went out 42 times last season.

Country is about 26 by 15 miles, open, rolling country and woodland. Paneling consists of timber and chicken coops; there are many original rail fences.

BLOOMFIELD OPEN HUNT

Bloomfield Hills,
Oakland County,
Michigan.
Established 1917.
Recognized 1920.



Organized as club pack; supported by Hunt subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, plum color with ½-inch buff piping; evening—scarlet, buff lapels and plum collar. Joint Masters: (1934) Walter O. Briggs, Jr. (1938) John L. Lovett. Honorary Secretary: Thomas E. Wilson. Huntsman: The Masters. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Richard Shepherd, and William Tracy; (professional) John Adams. Foxhounds: 15 couples American. Kennels at Bloomfield Hills. Fox hunting: August 15 to April 1, two days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, on hunting membership, with introductions. Accommodations at Fox and Hounds Inn, Bloomfield Hills, ½ mile from kennels. Hunters can be rented from the club. Horse Show first week in June. Breeders Show September. Hounds went out 42 times last season.

Country is approximately 10 miles square, rolling, with good drainage. Largely grass, with some plow and woodland. Paneling with a variety of snake fences, post-and-rail, and chicken coop.

BLUE RIDGE HUNT CLUB

Millwood, Clarke County,
Virginia.
Established 1880.
Recognized 1904.



Club, supported by dues from landowners and subscriptions from nonlandowners. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, light-blue collar; evening—scarlet, light-blue collar and facings. Joint Masters: (1931) William Bell Watkins, (1939) Graham Dougherty. Honorary Secretary: George H. Burwell. Huntsman: The Master. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Alexander Mackay-Smith and (professional) Howard Gardner. Foxhounds: 30 couples American. Kennels at Berryville, Clarke County. Fox hunting: Cubbing starts November 15, card of fixtures starts November 1, season ends February, last day; meets three days a week and bye days. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt if acceptable to Master or Board of the club; \$15 a day, \$150 a month, \$300 a season. Hotel accommodations at Winchester, 12 miles from kennels, and Berryville, 4 miles from kennels. For renting hunters, consult Masters. Horse Show at Carter Hall in May. Hounds went out about 46 times last season.

Country is approximately 12 by 15 miles; rolling farmland, large blue-grass pastures. Jumps are stone walls, post-and-rail, chicken coops.

BRANDYWINE HOUNDS

"Brandywine Meadow Farm,"
West Chester,
Pennsylvania.
Established 1892.
Recognized 1901.



Private pack, owned and supported by the Master. Contributions toward a fencing fund accepted. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, old-gold collar, but have always hunted in brown uniform; evening—scarlet, old-gold collar and facings. Master: (1929) Gilbert Mather. Huntsman: The Master and (professional) James McNair. Kennel Huntsman: (professional) Jonas Lund. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Miss Mary Mather and (professional) Frank Turner. Foxhounds: 35 couples American. Kennels at Lenape, Chester County. Fox hunting: October 1 to April 1, three days a week and bye days. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by invitation. Hotel accommodations in Philadelphia about 25 miles from kennels and duPont Hotel, Wilmington, Del., about 16 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from Sydney W. Glass, R. D. No. 6, West Chester, Tel: West Chester 943-R-2. Hounds went out 81 times last season.

Hunting country is in the southern part of Chester County and Delaware County. Approximately 15 miles square. It is a rolling agricultural country with medium size timber fences; post-and-rail panels in wire.

BRIDLESPUR HUNT

Huntleigh Village,
St. Louis County,
Missouri.
Established 1927.
Recognized 1929.



Club pack, supported by Hunt subscriptions, dues, and capping fees. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, robin's-egg-blue collar, yellow waistcoat; evening—scarlet, robin's-egg-blue collar and facings. Master: (1938) Mrs. Henry J. Kaltenebach, Jr. Honorary Secretary: To be appointed. Huntsman: Henry Rhode. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Hart Vance (1st), Harry Langenbeck (2nd). Foxhounds: 36 couples American; 5 couples English. Kennels on Square Lane, approximately 2½ city blocks west of clubhouse. Fox hunting: September 1 to March 1, cub season. September, three days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt. Subscription fee \$100 per family. Capping fees as follows: First hunt, free; second hunt, \$5, third hunt, \$10, fourth hunt, \$15; after which the regular subscription fee of \$100 must be paid, allowing, however, for the capping fees previously paid. Nearest hotel accommodations, Park-Plaza and Chase Hotels, 14 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from the Westwood Country Club, Conway Road, at \$5 per day. Annual Horse Show in May. Hounds went out about 46 times last season.

Country covers 37.05 square miles at foot-hills of Ozark Mountains, particularly rolling with road covers; jumps are post-and-rail, chicken coops, washes, and plank fences (majority coops). Also, 7.25 square miles Belvoir country, in general very flat; inhabited by all forms of wild game; particularly adapted to fox hunting in late fall.

CAMARGO HUNT

Winding Creek Farm,
Madera,
(P. O. R. F. D. 10, Box 380,
Station M, Cincinnati),
Ohio.
Established 1925.
Recognized 1928.



Private, voluntary subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, with gray collar and yellow piping; evening—scarlet, grey silk facings and collar. Master: (1925) Julius Fleischmann. Honorary Secretary: Wm. Hyatt, Chatfield. Huntsman: Charles Sammons. Whippers-In: (Honorary) O. DeGraff, Vanderbilt, Jr., and Leonard S. Smith, Jr.; (professional) (1st) Fred Patterson and (2nd) Russell McKee. Foxhounds: 1 couple Americans; 6½ couples English; 27 couples crossbreds. Kennels at Winding Creek Farm, Madera. Fox hunting: September 1 to March 15, three days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by invitation of the Master or Secretary. Hotel accommodations at Mariemont Inn, Mariemont. Hunter Trials held middle of October at Mr. Warner Atkin's farm. Hounds went out 71 times last season.

Approximately 20,000 acres rolling country; post-and-rail jumps; chicken coops.

CAMDEN HUNT

Camden,
South Carolina.
Established 1926.
Recognized 1929.



Supported by subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Black, cream breeches, black and white

vest, orange collar. Joint Masters: (1926) Mrs. Dwight Partridge and (1937) Mrs. David R. Williams. Honorary Secretary: Mrs. Charles du Bois, Jr. Huntsman: The Masters hunt the hounds. Whippers-In: (Honorary) J. North Fletcher, Mrs. Charles du Bois, Jr., R. Watson Pomeroy, Gerard W. Smith; (professional) Carl Lightfoot. Foxhounds: 15 couples American. Kennels 4 miles from town of Camden. Drag and Fox hunting: Two days a week in December and January, three days a week in February and March. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by invitation; guests of subscribers, three hunts without subscription; \$5 cap. Accommodations, Court Inn, Kirkwood Hotel, Hobkirk Inn, Camden, 3½ miles from kennels. Good hunters can be rented from Bramlett Stable, \$10 per hunt. First Race Meeting February 22; Hunter Trials February 23; Horse Show March 22; Carolina Cup race (not run under the Camden Hunt) in March. Hounds went out about 46 times last season.

Military reservation, 20,000 acres rolling country. Natural ditch and log jumps. Artificial jumps consisting of stone walls, post-and-rail, fences, and hedges. All fences well paneled. Mostly open country with many canyons. Very little woods. Splendid turf and good galloping country.

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W. Haggens (2nd). Foxhounds: 25 couples English-American crossbred. Kennels at Cavalry School. Fort Riley. Drag and coyote hunting: October 15 to April 15, two days a week. Strangers or visitors welcome to hunt, on invitation of the master or a member. Hotel accommodations at Bartell House, Junction City. Hunters cannot be rented, but visitors can always be mounted. Horse Show and Race Meeting held near the end of May each year. Hounds went out 61 times last season.

Military reservation, 20,000 acres rolling country. Natural ditch and log jumps. Artificial jumps consisting of stone walls, post-and-rail, fences, and hedges. All fences well paneled. Mostly open country with many canyons. Very little woods. Splendid turf and good galloping country.

CHAGRIN VALLEY HUNT

Gates Mills,
Ohio.
Established 1908.
Recognized 1909.



Club pack. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, white breeches, green collar; evening—scarlet, green lapels, black silk breeches and stockings. Master: (1934) Ralph T. King. Honorary Secretary: Courtney Burton. Huntsman: (professional) Jack Smith. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Courtney Burton and Lewis C. Williams; (professional) Tom Perry. Foxhounds: 26 couples English. Kennels at Gates Mills. Fox hunting: August to January, three days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, on invitation. Nearest hotel accommodations at Cleveland, 20 miles from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Horse Show middle of September. Hounds went out 59 times last season.

Country is approximately 20 by 25 miles; fairly open in parts interspersed with steep wooded ravines. Jumps are mostly panels and chicken coops put in by the Hunt.

COBBLER HUNT

Delaplane,
Virginia.
Established 1920.
Recognized 1929.



Club, supported by subscriptions, dues, and caps. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, with black collar; ladies black with scarlet collar; evening—scarlet, with black collar. Master: (1935) Dr. Edmund Horgan. Honorary Secretary: C. Edward Strother. Huntsman: (professional) Teddy Rose. Whippers-In: (professional) Robert Pearson. Foxhounds: 18 couples American. Kennels 2 miles west of Delaplane. Fox hunting: (Cubbing September 1 to November 1) November 1 to April 1, two days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, on invitation by day, month, or season. Accommodations in private houses in the neighborhood. Hunters can be rented at times. Hunter Trials are held at the close of the hunting season. Hounds went out 52 times last season.

The area hunted is approximately 10 by 15 miles; a farming, grazing, and wooded country, lying in the foothills of the Blue Ridge mountains. Fences are of raff and stone. Coops are placed where the fences are of wire.

COHASSET HUNT

Coahassee,
Massachusetts.
Established 1930.
Recognized 1932.



Club pack, supported by subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, black collar, white waistcoat; evening—scarlet, black collar, white waistcoat. Master: (1930) Mrs. Thomas M. James. Honorary Secretary: Mrs. Arthur G. Metcalf. Huntsmen: The Master. Kennelman: Marshal Grigsby. Whippers-In: (Honorary) H. J. Langlois, Ronald Johnson, and John Good; (professional) Marshall Grigsby. Foxhounds: 18 couples American. Kennels at Hingham. Drag hunting: Two days a week, September to December 15, also spring runs. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt only if invited by member of the club. Hotel accommodations at Black Horse Tavern, Coahasset. Hunters can be rented from Dan Lyons or Marshal Grigsby. Coahasset Horse Show late August. Hounds went out 33 times last season.

Country is 15 by 6 miles; largely made country, woods and fields; jumps are stone walls, post-and-rail, chicken coops.

DEDHAM COUNTRY AND POLO CLUB HOUNDS

Dedham,
Massachusetts.
Established 1922.
Recognized 1926.



Club, supported by Hunt subscriptions and capping. Hunt livery and colors: Green-white collar, yellow waistcoat; evening—green, yellow collar, white facings. Master: (1932) Mrs. Robert B. Almy. Honorary Secretary: Frank Crocker. Huntsman: The Master. Kennel Huntsman and Whippers-In: (professional) John Ahern. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Herbert B. Shaw and Miss Clara Jackson. Foxhounds: 9 couples re-l American. Kennels at Dedham Country and Polo Club, Dedham. Drag hunting: One day a week in August; two days a week from Sept. 1 until Christmas and holidays; junior drag one day a week from Labor Day to Thanksgiving. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt; capped three times, full subscription after that. Hunters can be rented from Powers Riding School, ¼ mile from Hunt stables. Accommodations at Wellesley Inn, Wellesley, 5 miles from kennels. Gymkhana for children in September and Children and Hunter Show May 29 and 30. Hounds went out about 35 times last season.

Country is approximately 10 by 5 miles and consists of pasture, woodland, small fields; jumps are stone walls, chicken coops, few rail fences, and some ditches.

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CAVALRY SCHOOL HUNT

Fort Riley,
Kansas.
Established 1921.
Recognized 1923.



Club pack, supported by Cavalry School Club, of which Hunt Club is part. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, yellow collar, yellow waistcoat; evening—scarlet, cavalry-yellow lapel, white waistcoat. Master: (1939) Capt. J. W. Wofford. Honorary Secretary: Miss Edna M. Bayless. Huntsman: (Honorary) Mrs. C. B. Hazeltine. Kennel Huntsman: Sergt. Alonzo G. Teasley. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Major J. G. Walker, Capt. E. T. Thomson, Capt. J. H. Stoder, Capt. P. G. Kendall, Capt. G. W. Bennett, Lt. J. O. Curtis, Capt. John Reybold, Capt. John Thiemer, Capt. Haydon Sears; (professional) Pvt. Isaac Ross (1st); Pvt. J.

Hunting In War Time

By A. Henry Higginson, M. F. H.,

Editor's Note: Mr. Higginson, the noted Master of English and American Packs, here explains the problems facing British Foxhunters during the War and outlines a plan whereby American sportsmen may aid in the creation of a British Ambulance corps.

There is no truer saying than the statement that "birds of feather flock together", and foxhunting men, whether English or American, are all of one kin. It is because, I feel sure of this,—that I am going to try to tell American hunting men something of the conditions under which foxhunting in England is being carried on at present. During the last Great War, the writer, in common with many other American Masters of Hounds, was unable to realize the economic state of affairs which made it necessary to destroy many valuable Hounds, and to carry on under conditions which caused drastic changes in the conduct of the sport. Foxhunting before the 20th century was never seriously affected by War, because there never was any question of blockade of Great Britain, with its consequent curtailment of food supplies. At the time of the Great War, we in America realized that hunters were being requisitioned, that Masters and Hunt Servants had gone to the front, and that hunting was being carried on under difficult conditions, but we did not realize until 1916, that a shortage of food caused the reduction of many of the famous packs, and even the abandonment of some. At that time I remember presiding at a dinner of the M. F. H. Association of America, at which Sir Charles Gunning, the head of the British Remount Commission in America, was the guest of honour. I shall never forget the enthusiasm with which we all rose and drank to the success and safe return of the hunting men of England, little dreaming that we ourselves would be in the War the following year. Now, at the commencement of a second conflict, the hunting men of England are again faced with the problem, of how best to "carry on"; and the British M. F. H. Association, profiting by past experience, has sent out to its members a letter stating "that the Committee of the Masters of Foxhounds Association fully realize that hunting will only be able to be carried on under very great difficulties; but that they consider that it would be most prejudicial to the country in general if it were allowed to lapse altogether, and that they therefore recommend that it should continue as long as the conditions of War allow, in order to kill as many foxes as possible, and to enter young Hounds, but that it should not be looked on as a form of sport so long as the war lasts." They go on to say that they are in receipt of a communication from His Majesty's Government stating that it is evident that "the feeding stuffs situation will require that the utmost economy be observed", and that it would be useful if Masters of Hounds would restrict so far as possible, the quantities fed to hunters and Hounds. They therefore suggest a reduction in the number of Hounds kept in all establishments. The result has been an immediate curtailment in the number of days hunted and the number of Hounds kept; and it is to be hoped that this will suffice for the present, at any rate.

Here in Dorsetshire it is pathetic but inspiring to see the result. When War broke out, cub hunting had already started, but within a week many Masters and Hunt Servants had joined the colours, and reduced packs of Hounds were being hunted by old Huntsmen, with old grooms and older members and their children acting as Whippers-in. Sometimes a Master, home on leave, gets a day or two; but for the most part, the sport is carried on as I have stated above, with old people and children only in the Field; but, mark you, IT IS BEING CARRIED ON. Yet, in spite of the scanty Fields that come out with a pack these days, one can scarcely believe as one gazes over the peaceful English country-side, that England is really at War, until one hears the boom of a gun from one of the warships in the Channel or the whirr of a warplane overhead, or gallops past a carefully camouflaged Anti-aircraft battery on the hills. It all seems like a bad dream.

Ten days ago, my friend and one time partner in the Mastership of the Cattistock Hounds, who has worked with me to show sport in this country to the Cattistock Field for the past five seasons, came to see me. "They don't want me in the British Army, Alex," he said, "but I have thought of a scheme by which we can help and I want your co-operation. I am going up to London this afternoon to the headquarters of the British Red Cross, to obtain their approval of a plan which I have conceived of raising funds in America to equip and maintain a complete Field Ambulance Unit to be known as **The American Foxhunters' Ambulance Unit**. If they give their approval, I plan to go home by the first available boat and I should like you to give me letters of introduction to any American sportsmen who you think will help me in the project. I would also like to have you write to a dozen or so British Masters of Hounds who would lend their support to the scheme by allowing the use of their names in connection with it as British Patrons."

Needless to say I was in complete sympathy with Ruxton's idea, and though I felt that his acquaintance among the hunting men in the United States was very wide, I realized that there might be some, particularly among the older members of the Masters of Foxhounds Association of America, and the members of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association, with whom I had been in constant touch in bygone years with whom my personal relations were closer, and I accordingly gave him many such letters. I also wrote to those British Masters of Hounds whose names I felt would carry weight with American sportsmen, and without exception, their response was most gratifying. The Duke of Beaufort, Lord Leconfield, Lord Poltimore, Earl Bathurst, Colonel Spence Colby,—all of them past Presidents of the British M. F. H. Association—Captain Wickham-Boynton the present incumbent of that distinguished office; Earl Fitzwilliam, Sir John Buchanan-Jardine, Sir George Meyrick, Colonel Gordon Colman, and Lady Currie, are among those whose names appear on that list. I should like, if I had the space, to quote letters from all of them, but it would be impossible, and I will only quote two sentences from Earl Bathurst's letter which voices the universal and enthusiastic endorsement of the plan. He says: "I think the idea of equipping and maintaining a complete Field Ambulance Unit to be known as **The American Foxhunters' Ambulance Unit** is perfectly splendid. It shows the good sporting feeling

which exists between all good foxhunters, whether in the U. S. A. or in England.

As President of the Masters of Foxhounds of America for seventeen years and as one of its oldest members, I ask all American hunting men to give their whole-hearted support to Mr. Ruxton's project, and to remember that the great sport of foxhunting had its birth in England. It is up to us to help the hunting men of England, Masters of Hounds, followers in the Field, and Hunt Servants, good sportsmen all of them, who are at the front fighting for their country and their King.

Mr. W. V. C. Ruxton sailed to-day (September 20th) and his temporary address in America is:—Care Mrs. Adolph Boissevain, 1115 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y.

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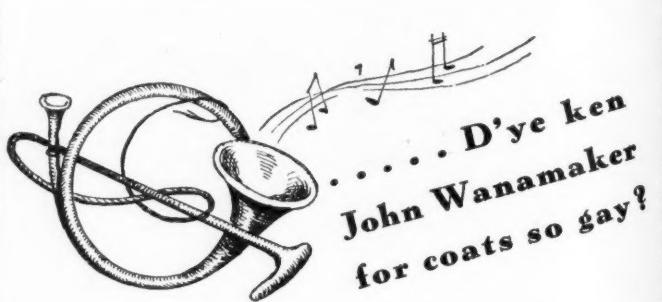
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DEEP RUN HUNT CLUB



Richmond,
Virginia.
Established 1887, 1923.

Recognized 1905.
Club pack, supported by dues. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, Confederate-gray collar; evening—scarlet, Confederate-gray facings. Master: (1934) Dr. John M. Hughes. Honorary Secretary: O. J. Sands, Jr. Huntsman: H. L. (Pat) Miller. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Col. Edwin P. Conquest, Frederick S. Campbell. Foxhounds: 15 couples American, 1½ couples crossbred. Kennels one mile west of Richmond; Broad Street Road. Drag and hunting: October 15 to April 1, one day a week and by days. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, as guests. Members of all hunts are invited. Notify the Master. Accommodations at William Byrd Hotel, one mile from kennels. Hunters can be rented from stable manager at club stables, \$5 per hunt. Race Meeting at Airlie, at Curle's Neck Farm, 15 miles east of Richmond; Horse Show last week in May or first week in June; Hunter Trials in March. Hounds went out 38 times last season. Country is approximately 20 by 40 miles. It is a rolling, open and woodland country. Jumps consist of post-and-rail, chicken coops, Aiken.

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DILWYNE HUNT



Montchanin,
Delaware.
Established 1928.
Recognized 1935.

Private pack. Hunt livery and colors: Royal blue, with black collar; evening—same. Joint Masters: (1928) R. R. M. Carpenter and (1938) Mrs. Louise R. Carpenter. Honorary Secretary: R. R. M. Carpenter. Huntsman: (professional) Patricia O'Neal. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Raymond du Pont. Foxhounds: 10 couples English. Kennels at Montchanin. Fox hunting: October 15 to November 15, three days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation. No hotel accommodations. Hunters cannot be rented. Hounds went out about 60 times last season. Country about 5 miles square; rolling farm and woodland; jumps are post-and-rail.



DU PAGE HUNT

Wheaton,
Illinois.
Established 1928.
Recognized 1936.

Club privately supported. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, yellow collar; evening—scarlet, yellow collar. Master: (1939) Col. Robert R. McCormick. Honorary Secretary: Maxwell Corpening. Huntsman: Albert Cox. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Anne Bryant, Bradford Ripley; (professional) Peter Jensen, Ernest Edwards and William Sauer. Foxhounds: 18 couples American. Kennels 2 miles southwest of Wheaton. Drag hunting: August to December, two days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation. Accommodations at Hunt Club, ½ mile from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Hounds went out 20 times last season. Country 20 by 25 miles. Rolling country. Post-and-rail and Aiken and chicken coops.



EAGLE FARMS HUNT

F. D. 2, West Chester,
Pennsylvania.
Established 1915.
Recognized 1916.

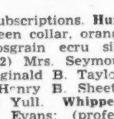
Private pack, supported entirely by owners. Hunt livery and colors: Oxford gray, or scarlet, with tan or white breeches; evening—scarlet, Continental blue collar and facings. Joint Masters: (1929) Joseph Neff Ewing and (1935) William H. Ashton. Honorary Secretary: Mrs. Anne A. Ewing. Huntsman: (professional) Walter Hill. Whippers-In: (professional) Albert Hague and Bayard Hoffman. Foxhounds: 20 couples American. Kennels at Eagle Farms, Unionville. Fox hunting: September 1 to April 1, even hunting days. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt on application made to Masters personally. No hotel accommodations. Hunters cannot be rented. Hounds went out 100 times last season. Country is approximately 10 by 12 miles, rolling, well wooded, but with plenty of open country for galloping. Jumps are post-and-rail, board fences, chicken coops, and stone walls.



EAST AURORA HUNT

East Aurora,
New York.
Established 1930.
Recognized 1932.

Club supported by Hunt subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, green collar, orange piping; evening—scarlet, grosgrain ecru silk facings. Joint Masters: (1932) Mrs. Seymour H. Knox and (1932) Mrs. Reginald B. Taylor. Honorary Secretary: Lieut. H. B. Sheets. Huntsman: (prof.) Frederick Yull. Whippers-In: (Honorary) James Carey Evans. (Professional) Paul Yull. Foxhounds: 4 couples American; 3 couples English, 18 couples crossbred. Kennels at East Aurora. Drag hunting: From September as long as weather permits, two days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, as guests. Hotel accommodations at The Roycroft, East Aurora, one mile from kennels. Hunters can be rented from Troop I, Orchard Park. Hunter Trials October 14th. East Aurora. Hounds went out 50 times last season. Country is 20 by 30 miles, farm land pastures, meadows, small wooded areas, rolling in character and cut by some ravines. Jumps are mostly post-and-rail and a few stone fences and chicken coops.



EGLINTON HUNT

Toronto,
Ontario,
Canada.
Established 1929.
Recognized 1934.

Club, supported by club subscriptions and dues. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, Copenhagen blue collar; evening—scarlet, Copenhagen blue facings. Master: (1936) H. Ruper Bain. Honorary Secretary: O. D. Robinson. Huntsman: M. Charles Webb. Whippers-In: (professional) William Cross. Kennelman: S. V. Abbott. Foxhounds: 2½ couples English (some with Welsh strain). Kennels at Todmorden. Drag hunting: Middle of August until stopped by frost, usually about the end of December; three days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt; cap fee. Accommodations in Toronto, 5 miles from the kennels. Limited number of hunters, owned by Eglington Hunt Club and other boarding stables in district can be rented. Horse Show held under auspices of Toronto Horse Show Association in May; Point-to-Point meetings in October and November under auspices of Canadian Hunt & Steeplechase Association; Hunter Trials September or October. Hounds went out 38 times last season. Country is about 18 by 20 miles. Rail fences predominate, but occasional formidable pine-root fences and stone walls are encountered.



can be rented from the club. Horse Show near end of June; Race Meeting in September. (Adjacent Hunts) Hounds went out 69 times last season.

The country is about 30 miles square and has rolling hills with stone walls and post-and-rail jumps.

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FAIRFIELD & WESTCHESTER HOUNDS

Stamwich Road,
Greenwich,
Connecticut.
Established 1913.
Recognized 1934.

Club pack, supported by dues. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, orange collar, canary waistcoat; evening—scarlet, orange facings and white waistcoat. Master: (1939) Richard I. Robinson. Honorary Secretary: Albert Tilt, Jr. Huntsman: Alton C. Govier. Whippers-In: (Honorary) William W. Grinnan, Jr. (professional) (1st) Herman Chadwell. Foxhounds: 20 couples American. Draghounds: 10 couples American. Kennels on Stamwich Road, Cos Cob. Fox and drag hunting: Tuesday and Saturday for foxhounds, Thursday for draghounds, Wednesday afternoon drags for juniors. Season: Fox hunting: September first through March subject to weather conditions. Drag hunting: September, October, November and April subject to weather conditions. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt as guests; capping fee. Nearest hotel accommodations at Greenwich. Hunters can be rented from Round Hill Club Stable Co., Peck's Land Road, Greenwich. Horse Show in September; Hunter Trials in October. Hounds went out about 115 times last season.

Approximate area of country, 20,000 acres in Fairfield County, Connecticut, and Westchester County, New York. Mostly stone-wall country, practically no wire, with large woodland coverts and intervening grasslands. Style of horse, three-quarter breed or better.



ELKRIDGE-HARFORD HUNT CLUB

Monkton,
Maryland.
Merged 1934.
Recognized 1934.

This is the merging of the Elkriddle Hounds and the Harford Hunt Club as of December 1, 1934. Club, supported by Hunt subscriptions, dues and capping. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, white collar; evening—scarlet, white facings. Joint Masters: (1933) S. Bryce Wing, and (1939) Edward S. Voss. Huntsman: (professional) Dallas Leith. Whippers-In: (professional) (1st) Raymond Swift, (2nd) Jake Robinson. Foxhounds: 50 couples crossbred. Kennels at Taylors. Fox hunting: Cubbing starts about the end of August, and thereafter four days a week. Strangers and visitors permitted to hunt on invitation and payment of capping fee of \$15. Hotel accommodations at Bel Air, 11 miles from kennels, and at Baltimore, 20 miles from kennels. Hunters can occasionally be rented locally. The hounds went out 88 times last season.

Country about 14 miles square, and is rolling farm land. Jumps are post-and-rail.



ESSEX FOX HOUNDS

Peapack,
New Jersey.
Established 1912.
Recognized 1912.

Supported by subscriptions and cappings. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, orange collar; evening—scarlet, apricot, silk facing. Joint Masters: (1929) Kenneth B. Schley and (1938) Anderson Fowler. Honorary Secretary: Frederick S. Moseley, Jr. Huntsman: (professional) William Thomas. Whippers-In: (1st) William Blackwell; (2nd) George Connor. Foxhounds: 30 couples American. Kennels at Peapack. Fox hunting: October to February, three days a week and bye-days. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt on payment of fixed subscription or capping. Hunters can be rented from Wm. Channing and John Bergsten, Far Hills. Race Meeting last October at Far Hills. Hounds went out 99 times last season.

Country very varied; approximately 25 by 20 miles; hilly, with plenty of coverts and fair amount of grass; fences all post-and-rail.



MR. NEWBOLD ELY'S HOUNDS

Ambler, R. D. 1,
Pennsylvania.
Established 1929.
Recognized 1931.

Private pack, owned and maintained by the Master. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, brown collar, blue piping; evening—same. Master: (1929) W. Newbold Ely, Jr. Honorary Secretary: Josephine Eastwick. Huntsman: The Master. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Joseph S. Myers, (professional) Willis Houskamp, John Pieczoski and Ellwood Shoeman. Foxhounds: 50 couples Welsh. Kennels at Ambler, R. D. 1, Palm and Pennsbury, R. D. 1. Fox hunting (native red and gray): August to April, three days a week and occasional by day. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation of the Master. Hunters cannot be rented. Hounds went out 101 times last season.

The country hunted is approximately 30 by 25 miles; rocky pasture lands and woodlands. Stone walls, post-and-rails, and snake fences, chicken coops and brush paneling. The upper country: rolling grass, very large fields practically no wire. Stone walls and snake fences. The western section: long, wide valley, with large fields and mostly post-and-rail fences.



FAIRFIELD COUNTY HOUNDS

Westport,
Connecticut.
Established 1924.
Recognized 1926.

Foxhunting Association of the Fairfield County Hunt Club. Supported by subscriptions and capping. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, with blue collar, gold edging; evening—same, with gold lapels. Master: (1937) Alfred G. Allen. Honorary Secretary: Mrs. Donald G. Perkins. Huntsman: (professional) George Thomas. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Raymond Burr. Foxhounds: 25 couples American. Kennels at Clubhouse, Westport. Fox hunting: Two days a week, September 1 to March 15. Visitors permitted to hunt on payment of capping fee. Accommodations at Open Door, Westport, 3 miles from kennels; Pequot Inn, Southport, 2 miles, Stratfield Hotel, Bridgeport, 5 miles, and at other hotels. Hunters



can be rented from the club. Horse Show

near end of June; Race Meeting in September. (Adjacent Hunts) Hounds went out 69 times last season.

The country is about 30 miles square and has rolling hills with stone walls and post-and-rail jumps.

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FIRST CAVALRY DIVISION HUNT

Fort Bliss,
Texas.
Established 1933.
Recognized 1939.

Club pack, supported by the Fort Bliss Officers' Club. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, cavalry-yellow lapels and collar; evening—cavalry-yellow dress—as prescribed for U. S. Army, or scarlet with green facings. Master: (1938) Lt. Col. Paul Davison. Honorary Secretary: Capt. R. D. Palmer. Huntsman: The Master. Kennel Huntsman: Sergeant Bruce Stafford. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Capt. F. deL. Comfort, Capt. H. M. Zeller, Lieut. Col. T. G. Taylor, Capt. R. G. Lowe, Capt. R. D. Palmer, Major W. N. Todd, Lt. Col. R. E. McQuillin, Capt. C. H. Reed and Capt. Z. W. Moores. Kennel Whips: Pvt. Will Black and Pvt. James Alexander. Foxhounds: 8 couples English and 10 couples American, 2 couple crossbred. Kennels at Fort Leavenworth. Coyote, wolf, fox, and drag hunting: Two days a week, October 15th to April 7th. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, as guests of members. Accommodation at Officers' Club, one mile from kennels. Hunters are furnished to invited guests. Spring Race Meeting about May 20th. Hounds went out 63 times last season.

Country 16 miles square, comprising rolling wooded hills, river bottoms, and farm lands, lying in Missouri and Kansas, adjacent to the military reservation of Fort Leavenworth, panelled with post-and-rail.



joining Fort Bliss to the north and northeast is Mr. McIlroy's ranch of indefinite extent, but certainly not less than fifteen miles wide by thirty miles long, with all kinds of going from smooth level plains to the foothills of two mountain ranges. All of this country is sandy, dry with greasewood, mesquite, very little grass, no trees, and is inhabited by coyotes, rabbits, mountain lions and bobcats, with an occasional gray fox.

Fences are few but panelled with natural timber rails, chicken coop type 3½ feet to 4 feet 6 inches in height, 12 feet long.

FORT BELVOIR HUNT

Fort Belvoir,
Virginia.
Established 1935.



Military organization; supported by appropriations from Engineer Mess. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, white collar, white waistcoat. Joint Masters: (1936) Maj. Alex. B. McNabb and (1937) Lt. Col. Creswell Garlington. Honorary Secretary: 1st Lt. Howard E. Webster. Huntsman: The Master alternate in hunting the pack. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Lt. Col. Ludson D. Whipple, Capt. Thomas North, 1st Lt. Richard R. Arnold, and 1st Lt. Richard D. Meyer. Foxhounds: 11 couples English, American and crossbred. Kennels at Fort Belvoir. Drag Hunting: October 15th to April 1st. Two days a week. Strangers and visitors permitted to hunt on invitation of the Master or a member. Accommodations at Penn Daw Hotel and George Mason Hotel, Alexandria. Hunters cannot be rented, but invited guests of the Hunt can be mounted. Three Horse Shows annually, sponsored jointly by the Engineer School and the Hunt. Hounds went out 35 times last season.

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CHEVY CHASE HUNTER TITLE TO MISS COTTER

Margaret Cotter's personable bay gelding *Rocksie*, whose propensities for six foot obstacles have brought him nation wide fame, earned himself and his owner-rider further laurels at the annual Chevy Chase Horse Show Sept. 24, when judges George Plummer and Quinton L. Comer pinned the Hunter Championship on him, his second within the week, after he had won the hunter hacks, ladies hunters and garnered ribbons in other events. Reserve was Miss Betty Couzens' new show horse *Sumouse*, a big chestnut gelding who was ridden throughout the show by the professional Robey.

The Jumper Championship was awarded to another versatile performer in Fenton Fadeley's good chestnut mare *Lacquer Lady*, who has in the past won jumper classes unhindered by a foal at side. *Lacquer Lady* won both the open jumping and the touch-and-out earlier in the day. A tie on points for the reserve in this division resulted in Lisbeth Steig's *Hi-Ho* getting the toss over Captain John Meade's *Enterprise*.

The high note of Sunday's activities at this two day Maryland show was the knock-down-and out class in which Freddy Hughes rode his well known *Black Caddy* over five feet six to defeat Frances Miller's *Flying Boo*. *Lacquer Lady* was third. Miss Steig scored with *Hi-Ho* in the triple bar, another stiff class, over John Keeler's *Good Friday* after two jump-offs.

Saturday's classes were devoted to ponies and junior riders with Mrs. N. H. McDowell's *Modern Melody*, ridden by Elaine McDowell getting the Junior Championship and Reserve going to *Lacquer Lady*, shown by Mr. Fadeley's son Mercer Fadeley. Other junior entries who came off with prize-winning performances on Saturday were Lee Counselman's *Kristie*, ridden by Laura Anne Hughes to win the junior handicap hunters, and Marrian Curran's *Tahra* who won the junior working hunters with Marrian Curran, Jr., up.

SUMMARIES FIRST DAY

Model Ponies, shown in hand—1st, Margaret Hill's *Water Blossom*; 2nd, Dean Rathbun, Jr.'s *Chit Chat*; 3rd, George Rexrode, Jr.'s *Iron Duchess*; 4th, Sonny Ballman's *Pinto*.

Saddle Ponies, 12.2 and under—1st, David Belding's *Star Boy*, George Rexrode, Jr., up; 2nd, Bucky Magill's *Beauty*, owner up; 3rd, Jimmy Eidlebut's *Janny*, owner up; 4th, Sonny Ballman's *Pinto*, owner up.

Saddle Ponies, 14.2 and under—1st, Dean Rathbun, Jr.'s *Chit Chat*, owner up; 2nd, David Belding's *Star Roan*, Bucky Magill up; 3rd, David Belding's *Star Way*, owner up; 4th, George Rexrode, Jr.'s *Iron Duchess*, owner up.

Pony Jumping, 12.2 and under—1st, David Belding's *Star Boy*, Bucky Magill up; 2nd, Bucky Magill's *Beauty*, owner up; 3rd, Donnie Armiger's *Spring Hope*, owner up; 4th,

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National Prize Lists

Prize lists for the National Horse Show have been mailed and should soon be in the hands of exhibitors. Extra money has been added, also, two classes and a stake for Tennessee walking horses which should be of great interest as this type of animal is not very well known in the north. Army teams from Mexico and Chile are already on hand and Cuba is expected soon so, including the United States, four teams are promised and a fifth, not named as yet, is hoped for. Some improvements have been made in the time table but no drastic changes and everything points towards a repetition of the same colorful and interesting show for which The National has always been famous.

Sonny Ballman's *Pinto*, owner up. Pony Jumping, 14.2 and under—1st, Bucky Magill's *Star Way*, owner up; 2nd, Mary Conlon's *Bird*, owner up; 3rd, George Rexrode, Jr.'s *Good News*, owner up; 4th, Dean Rathbun, Jr.'s *Chit Chat*, owner up.

Junior Handicap Hunters—1st, Lee Counselman's *Kristie*, Laura Ann Hughes up; 2nd, E. H. Marsteller's *Nanette*, Elizabeth March up; 3rd, Mrs. M. Kreuger's *Lumberjack*, Jane Wells up; 4th, Mercer Fadeley's *Skippy*, owner up.

Junior Road Hacks—1st, Mrs. N. H. McDowell's *Modern Melody*, Elaine McDowell up; 2nd, Dean Rathbun, Jr.'s *Chit Chat*, owner up; 3rd, Margaret Hill's *Questionnaire*, owner up; 4th, Jean Thibedeau's *King Coal*, Carroll Curran up.

Junior Working Hunters—1st, Marrian Curran's *Tahra*, Marrian Curran, Jr., up; 2nd, Mrs. M. Kreuger's *Lumberjack*, Jane Wells up; 3rd, Fenton Fadeley's *Headrock*, Christian Wells up; 4th, Mrs. N. H. McDowell's *Modern Melody*, Elaine McDowell up.

Junior Open Jumpers—1st, Fenton Fadeley's *Lacquer Lady*, Mercer Fadeley up; 2nd, Mercer Fadeley's *Skippy*, owner up; 3rd, Frances Miller's *Flying Boo*, Mickey Magill up; 4th, Sammy Nash's *Gold Star*, owner up.

Junior Hunter Hack—1st, Marrian Curran's *Tahra*, Marrian Curran, Jr., up; 2nd, Mrs. N. H. McDowell's *Modern Melody*, Elaine McDowell up; 3rd, Margaret Hill's *Questionnaire*, owner up; 4th, Eddie Talbert's *He'll Try*, owner up.

Touch-And-Out—1st, Fenton Fadeley's *Lacquer Lady*, Mercer Fadeley up; 2nd, Mrs. N. H. McDowell's *Modern Melody*, Elaine McDowell up; 3rd, Fenton Fadeley's *Headrock*, Christian Wells up; 4th, Norman Clarke's *Cold Snap*, Eddie Talbert up.

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Junior Hunter Hack—1st, Marrian Curran's *Tahra*, Marrian Curran, Jr., up; 2nd, Mrs. N. H. McDowell's *Modern Melody*, Elaine McDowell up; 3rd, Margaret Hill's *Questionnaire*, owner up; 4th, Eddie Talbert's *He'll Try*, owner up.

Touch-And-Out—1st, Fenton Fadeley's *Lacquer Lady*, Mercer Fadeley up; 2nd, Mrs. N. H. McDowell's *Modern Melody*, Elaine McDowell up; 3rd, Fenton Fadeley's *Headrock*, Christian Wells up; 4th, Norman Clarke's *Cold Snap*, Eddie Talbert up.

Junior Championship—Mrs. N. H. McDowell's *Modern Melody*, 11 points. Reserve: Fenton Fadeley's *Lacquer Lady*, (flipped with Marrian Curran's *Tahra*, each 10 points).

Barback Jumping—1st, Hubert Klienpeter's *Trotter*, owner up; 2nd, Sammy Nash's *Gold Star*, owner up; 3rd, E. R. Routt's *Valent*, Carson Kirk up; 4th, Eddie Talbert's *Golden Glow*, owner up.

Small Pony Race—1st, E. R. Routt's *Valent*, Carson Kirk up; 2nd, William Frey's *Hot Cha*, Jack Devereaux up; 3rd, Hubert Klienpeter's *Trotter*, owner up.

Large Pony Race—1st, Dean Rathbun's *Chit Chat*, owner up; 2nd, Mrs. E. R. Routt's *Valent*, Carson Kirk up; 3rd, Robert Kramer's *Pepper*, Warren Hawley up.

SECOND DAY

Hunter Hacks—1st, Margaret Cotter's *Rockslide*, owner up; 2nd, Mrs. N. H. McDowell's *Modern Melody*, owner up; 3rd, Miss O. K. Kane's *Banshee*, owner up; 4th, Charles Carrico's *Modacious*, owner up.

Road Hacks—1st, Peggy Kriz's *Deep Purple*, owner up; 2nd, Edward Hall's *Holland Girl*, owner up; 3rd, Gen. Guy V. Henry's *Gabby Scamp*, Patricia Henry up; 4th, Anne Hagner's *Show Girl*, Peggy Tinker up.

Handicap Jumpers—1st, Capt. John Meade's *Enterprise*, owner up; 2nd, Lisbeth Steig's *Hi-Ho*, owner up; 3rd, Fred Hughes, Jr.'s *Ring Master*, owner up; 4th, Capt. Kenneth G. Hoge's *Broomfield*, owner up.

Jumpers (restricted)—1st, Mrs. Bertha Buckley's *Timber Queen*, owner up; 2nd, Mrs. O. K. Kane's *Banshee*, owner up; 3rd, Lee Counselman's *Kristie*, Laura Anne Hughes up; 4th, Mrs. George Mueller's *Swing Easy*, Sammy Nash up.

Road Hacks—1st, Charles Carrico's *Modacious*, owner up; 2nd, Betty Couzens' *Sumouse*, B. Robey up; 3rd, T. Hammond Welch's *Midnight*, Mickey Magill up; 4th, Mrs. Peggy Kriz's *Deep Purple*, owner up.

Touch-And-Out—1st, Fenton Fadeley's *Lacquer Lady*, owner up; 2nd, T. Hammond Welch's *Hi-Ho*, owner up; 3rd, Capt. Kenneth Hoge's *Broomfield*, owner up.

Green Hunters—1st, Betty Couzens' *Sumouse*, B. Robey up; 2nd, Charles Carrico's *Modacious*, owner up; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bryant's Little Willie, Frank Christmas up; 4th, Eddie Talbert's *He'll Try*, owner up.

Triple Bar—1st, Lisbeth Steig's *Hi-Ho*, owner up; 2nd, Rip Heinrich's *Good Friday*, John Keeler up; 3rd, Mrs. George Mueller's *Swing Easy*, Sammy Nash up; 4th, Elias Marks' *Pop Over*, S. J. Vassell up.

Ladies' Hunters—1st, Margaret Cotter's *Rockslide*, owner up; 2nd, Capt. John Meade's *Dansoux*, Mrs. Meade up; 3rd, Mrs. N. H. McDowell's *Modern Melody*, owner up; 4th, Anne Hagner's *Show Girl*, owner up.

Open Jumping—1st, Fenton Fadeley's *Lacquer Lady*, owner up; 2nd, John Meade's *Enterprise*, owner up; 3rd, Fenton Fadeley's *Headrock*, owner up; 4th, Stanley Jones' *Jeremiah*, owner up.

Knockdown-and-Out—1st, Fred Hughes, Jr.'s *Black Caddy*, owner up; 2nd, Frances Miller's *Flying Boo*, Joe Pohzell up; 3rd, Fenton Fadeley's *Lacquer Lady*, owner up; 4th, Sligo Riding School's *Cody*, Bill Stevens up.

Jumper Championship—Fenton Fadeley's *Lacquer Lady*; Reserve: Lisbeth Steig's *Hi-Ho* (by toss against *Enterprise*).

Hunter Championship—Margaret Cotter's *Rocksie*; Reserve: Betty Couzens' *Sumouse*.

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FOXCATCHER HOUNDS

Fair Hill (P. O., Elkton),
Cecil County, Maryland.
Established 1912.
Recognized 1926.



Private pack. Hunt livery and colors: Black, blue and gold striped collar; evening—scarlet, blue and gold striped collar. Master: (1912) William du Pont, Jr. Honorary Secretary: John K. Garrigues. Huntsman: (professional) Kemp B. Furr. Whippers-In: (professional), (1st) Cecil Gregg, (2nd) George Underwood. Foxhounds: 40 couples American. Kennels at Fair Hill. Fox hunting: Four days a week, weather permitting, November to March. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation. Accommodations at du Pont Hotel, Wilmington, Delaware, 18 miles from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Race Meeting, Horse Show Sept. 9th and 10th at Fair Hill. Hounds went out 55 times last season.

Rolling country approximately 20 by 10 miles with small coverts and good open galloping; a good number of passable ravines and brooks. Jumps are mostly natural wood fences.

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FOX CHAPEL HUNT

R. F. D. 2,
Fox Chapel District,
Sharpsburg,
Pennsylvania.
Established 1926.
Recognized 1927.



Incorporated club, supported by annual dues; formerly called Pittsburgh Hunt. Hunt livery and colors: Green, canary-yellow collar; evening—scarlet, canary-yellow collar and facings. Master: (1933) John W. Lawrence. Honorary Secretary: Mrs. George M. Laughlin, III. Huntsman: (prof.) John Potter. Whippers-In: (professional) Harold Ridle. Foxhounds: 14 couples American and crossbred. Kennels at Bakerstown. Fox hunting: October 1 to February 1, three days a week and all holidays. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation of the Master or by arrangement with the secretary. Accommodations at Pittsburgh hotels, 15 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from John W. Beach's "Harts Run Stables", few miles from kennels. Hounds went out 44 times last season.

Country is approximately 10 by 20 miles, rolling to hilly, mostly uncultivated. Jumps are post-and-rail, board fences, chicken coops, with some worm fences.

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FRANKSTOWN HUNT

Altoona,
Pennsylvania.
Established 1933.
Recognized 1938.



Club, supported by dues. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, yellow collar, yellow waistcoat; evening—same. Master: (1939) Paul S. Vipond. Honorary Secretary: George P. Gable. Huntsman: (professional) Orpheus Newell. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Wm. Thompson and Major B. L. Levine; (professional) Arthur Hesford. Foxhounds: 7 couples American, 8½ couples English. Kennels at Plank Road, Altoona. Drag and Fox Hunting: September 8th to March 31st; three days a week and holidays. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, on invitation of member and payment of cap. Accommodations at Penn Alto Hotel, 5 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from Hunt Stables, at \$5 per hunt. Annual Horse Show held on Labor Day; Hunter Trials on Decoration Day. Hounds went out 40 times last season.

Country is approximately 12 by 18 miles with rolling hills, some high ridges steep slopes and considerable wooded country in parts. About forty per cent is waste land and pasture. Considerable wire but country well-preserved, mostly with post-and-rails, some original fences.

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GENESEE VALLEY HUNT

Geneseo,
New York.
Established 1878.
Recognized 1894.



Supported by subscriptions, by invitation. Hunt livery and colors: Dark blue, buff collar; evening—scarlet, Nile-green facings. Master: (1933) William P. Wadsworth. Honorary Secretary: Lockwood F. Youngs. Huntsman: (professional) Harry Andrews. Whippers-In: (professional) Frank Haines. Foxhounds: 29½ couples Genesee Valley. Kennels 2 miles from Genesee on Genesee-Avon Road. Fox hunting: September until weather conditions make it impossible to hunt, three days a week, and occasional bye days. Visitors permitted to hunt, as house guests of subscribers. Hotel accommodation at Big Tree Inn, Genesee, 2 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from Troop M Farms at Troop I Armory, Genesee; \$15 single day, reduction by week or month, groom service to meets included. Race Meeting at kennels in Genesee, Point-to-Point in Livingston County. Hounds went out about 3 times last season.

Country is approximately 20 by 30 miles. Rolling pasture and farm lands with plenty of woodland; chicken coops, post-and-rail, snake fences.

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GLENMORE HUNT

Staunton,
Virginia.
Established 1930.
Recognized 1935.



Supported by subscriptions and dues. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, Yale-blue collar; evening—not yet adopted. Master: (1938) Forrest T. Taylor. Honorary Secretary: Mrs. Hugh B. Sproul, Jr. Huntsmen: (Honorary) Fox-John Robson; Drag-Moffett Black. Whippers-In: (Honorary) C. E. Bush, Jr., Mrs. C. E. Bush, Jr.; Alternate—John Robson and James R. Rohr. Foxhounds: 14 couples American; 9 couples crossbred. Kennels Lone Forest Farm, 1 mile west of Staunton. Fox and drag hunting: October 9 to April 30, inclusive; drag hunt

one day a week and fox hunt one day a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation of members of the club, as guests of the club or of individual members. Hotel accommodations at Stonewall Jackson and Beverley Hotels, Staunton, 1 mile from kennels. Hunters can be rented. Hunter Trials last of April of each year at Lone Forest Farm. Hounds went out 139 times last season.

The country is approximately 25 by 20 miles. Both mountainous and open country; natural rail and paneled fences.

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GOLDENS BRIDGE HOUNDS

Goldens Bridge,
New York.
Established 1924.
Recognized 1925.



Supported by subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, black collar. Ladies—black, scarlet collar; evening—scarlet, black collar, white silk facings. Master: (1933) Mrs. James C. Clark. Honorary Secretary: Mrs. W. C. Browning. Huntsman: (professional) John Hughes. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Clifton Edgar; (professional) Morris Feld. Foxhounds: 40 couples American. Kennels at Goldens Bridge. Fox hunting: September 3 to January 15, three days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt only twice per season, then only if introduced by a member, and on payment of \$10 cap fee. Accommodations at "Horse and Hound" South Salem. Hunters can be rented from Twin Lake Farm, Goldens Bridge. Hounds went out 89 times last season.

Country is approximately 18 by 22 miles; practically all stone walls, hill-and-dale country, good coverts, with very fair rides, good-sized grass fields, used for many years as a grazing country; type of horse needed is good-sized three-quarter-bred as walls are big, with large fields to gallop over and it is quite hilly in some sections.

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GREEN MOUNTAIN HUNT

Esmont,
Virginia.
Established 1931.
Recognized 1932.



Private pack, privately supported. Hunt livery and colors: Dark gray, with blue piping; evening—none. Master: (1931) Ray Alan Van Clef. Acting Master: (1939) Mrs. H. L. Small. Honorary Secretary: Mrs. Horatio L. Small. Huntsman: (professional) Thomas Wood. Whippers-In: (Honorary) James Blackwood; (professional) Marvin Harper. Foxhounds: 15 couples American. Kennels at "Nydris," Esmont. Fox hunting: October 15 to March 1, two days a week. Visitors permitted to hunt, as guests. Nearest hotel accommodations at Monticello Hotel, Charlottesville, 17 miles from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Hounds went out 83 times last season.

Country approximately 10 by 18 miles; hilly, heavily wooded. Rail jumps, chicken coops.

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GREEN SPRING VALLEY HUNT

Glyndon,
Maryland.
Established 1892.
Recognized 1904.



Supported by Hunt subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, green velvet collar; evening—scarlet, green facings. Masters, ex-Masters and members and ex-members of the honorary staff wear green velvet collars. Master: (1937) John K. Shaw, Jr. Honorary Secretary: George Carey, Jr. Huntsman: (professional) Odes E. Hayes. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Ernest Bobbitt. Foxhounds: 35 couples crossbred. Kennels at Worthington Valley, Baltimore. Fox hunting: (Cubbing September 1 to October 1) three days a week and all holidays from October 1 to April 1. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by invitation, and contribution to the Master's fund. Hotel accommodations at Cockeysville, Towson, and Baltimore, 5, 10, and 15 miles from kennels, respectively. Hunters can be rented occasionally, but only a few are available. Maryland Grand National Point-to-Point in April; Maryland Hunt Cup in April; Maryland Hunts Horse Show, first Friday and Saturday in October. Hounds went out 98 times last season.

The country extends about 25 by 12 miles. The home country is open and rolling, with a great deal of grass. Outlying districts are rough and heavily wooded. Post-and-rail and board fences predominate. Strongly made hounds with a great deal of note and able to persevere without help are necessary for the country, this has been accomplished by the judicious crossing of American and English foxhounds. On the east side the country adjoins the Elkridge-Harford Hunt Club country.

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GROTON HUNT CLUB

Groton,
Massachusetts.
Established 1922.
Recognized 1923.



Club, supported by subscriptions and caps. Hunt livery and colors: Blue, buff collar; evening—scarlet, blue collar, buff facings. Joint Masters: (1936) Mrs. Richard E. Danielson, (1937) Frederick H. Lovejoy. Honorary Secretary: Samuel E. Peabody. Huntsman: (professional) Fred Armstrong. Whippers-In: (Honorary) W. O. Luscombe, Jr. (professional) Matthew O'Connor, Frederick Hosmer. Foxhounds: 22 couples English, cross-bred and Welsh. Kennels at Groton. Drag hunting: Two days a week, fox hunting: One day, September 1 to December 1. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt on payment of cap fee of \$5 or subscription if hunting regularly. Accommodations at Groton Inn, 3 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from Mrs. June Brainerd, Groton. Hounds went out about 46 times last season.

The country hunted is approximately 20 miles square, in Massachusetts and in New Hampshire. It is a wooded and open rolling country. Jumps are stone walls and panels.

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HARMONY HOLLOW HOUNDS

Harbourton,
New Jersey.
Established 1931.
Recognized 1937.



Private pack. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, yellow collar; evening—scarlet, yellow facings. Joint Masters: (1931) Col. E. C. Rose and (1931) Joseph M. Roebling. Huntsman: Master, Mr. Roebling, carries the horn. Kennel Huntsman: Jack Smith. Whippers-In: (professional) J. McNamara. Foxhounds: 17 couples English. Kennels on property of Mr. Roebling, outside Harbourton. Fox hunting: Three days a week and bye days, from September 15 as long as weather permits. Visitors and strangers welcome to hunt. Accommodations at Stacy-Trent Hotel, Trenton, about 10 miles from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Country 8 by 15 miles. Jumps mostly panels erected by the Hunt, with some natural post-and-rail, snake fences, and stone walls.

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HEADLEY HUNT

Zanesville,
Ohio.
Established 1935.
Recognized 1936.



Club supported by dues, subscriptions and fees. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, gentian collar with light-blue piping; evening—same. Joint Masters: (1935) Traftord Tallmadge and (1937) Mrs. James J. Sexton, Jr. Honorary Secretary: Edward Durell. Huntsman: (Honorary) William M. Sumner. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Claude C. W. Middleton, Samuel L. Black, Howard A. White. Foxhounds: 29 couples English. Kennels at Zanesville. Foxhunting: Three days a week and bye days from September 1 until weather prohibits. Strangers and visitors permitted to hunt on invitation and payment of capping fee. Accommodations at Hotel Zane, Zanesville, 5 miles from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. A private Hunt race for the Frank Tallmadge Memorial Bowl. Hounds went out 52 times last season.

Country about 14 by 12 miles, rolling and part hilly; part heavily wooded. Jumps post-and-rail panels, and natural worm rail fences.

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HILLSBORO HOUNDS

Brentwood,
(P. O. Box 941, Nashville)
Tennessee.
Established 1932.



Supported by subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, Master: (1932) Mason Houghland. Honorary Secretary: John Sloan. Huntsman: The Master. Whippers-In: (Honorary) John Sloan, (professional) Felix Peach. Foxhounds: 28 couples American. Kennels at Brentwood. Fox hunting: November 1 to April 15, two days a week. Any visitors who sincerely likes to hunt needs no further introduction. Hotel accommodations at Nashville, 10 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented at Nashville, \$7.50 per day. Races, "Green Pastures" in May. Hounds went out 73 times last season.

Country is quite extensive, rolling to hilly, with the good part of it liberally wired and the poor part of it is all in rail.

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HOWARD COUNTY HUNT

Ellwood City,
Maryland.
Established 1930.
Recognized 1932.



Club pack, supported by dues. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, fawn-brown collar and waistcoat; evening—scarlet, wild-honey facings. Master: (1934) Russell Kowalewski. Honorary Secretary: Maj. H. Stanford McLeod. Huntsman: The Master hunts the hounds. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Miss Phyllis Gerry, (professional) S. Amaral. Kennelman: G. Healy. Foxhounds: 15 couples cross-bred and English. Kennels at Seekonk. Drag hunting: From about September 15 to February 1st, three days a week and holidays. Junior hunts one day a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by invitation, on subscription. Accommodation at Biltmore Hotel, Providence, Rhode Island, 6 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from W. J. Rancourt stables, and at Club stables. Horse Show on the club grounds in May or early June. Hounds went out 62 times last season.

Country is 12 by 15 miles, meadow, pasture, and rolling, woodland. Fences are paneled stone walls, barways, coops over wire, and post-and-rail.

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R. N. Weaver. Honorary Secretary: Major Remington Orsinger. Huntsman: (professional) Sergt. Thomas Tweed. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Lt. Col. Chauncey E. Cook, Major Harry McC. Henderson, Major Remington Orsinger; Capt. George A. Smith, 1st Lt. Orlando C. Troxel, Jr., 1st Lt. Joseph R. Russ, Mrs. Wendell H. Langdon, Mrs. James A. Lewis, Miss Whitney Strayer. Foxhounds: 26 couples American and 1 couple English. Kennels at Fort Benning. Fox, bobcat, boar and drag hunting: October to March inclusive. One day a week and holidays. Guests of members of the Infantry School Hunt permitted to hunt, by arrangement with the Master. Accommodations in Columbus; 9 miles from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented, but may be provided to guests of Officers Club. Spring and Autumn Horse Shows in May and November. Hunter Trials in December. Hounds went out 36 times last season.

Country consists of 97,000 acres (about 13 miles by 15, irregular shape) of meadow and rolling woodland, hilly and level, with many ditch and water jumps, also post-and-rail, and chicken-coop jumps.

IROQUOIS HUNT & POLO CLUB

Lexington,
Kentucky.
Established 1880.
Inactive 1914-1926.
Recognized 1929.



Club pack, supported by dues and subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, black collar with blue piping; evening—same; informal—Melton gray, black collar with blue piping. Master: (1931) Edward F. Spears. Honorary Secretary: L. B. Shouse, Jr. Huntsman: The Master. Whippers-In: (Honorary) W. F. Pursey, and Byron Hilliard. Foxhounds: 30 couples American (Walker). Kennels at Grimes Mill, Fayette County. Fox hunting: (Cubbing through October) October 1 to April 30, or until weather gets too hot, two days a week and holidays. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation. Accommodations at Lafayette Hotel and Phoenix Hotel, Lexington, 12 miles from kennels. By notifying the Master, mounts can be arranged. Horse Show either fall or spring. Hounds went out 53 times last season.

The country is approximately 20 miles square, nine tenths rolling blue-grass turf and meadow land, with parked woodlands, one tenth plow. Low plank, rail, and chicken-coop panels and stone walls, with numerous broad and deep creeks, with firm banks.

JACOBS HILL HUNT

Seekonk,
Massachusetts.
Established 1923.
Recognized 1926.



Club, supported by dues and Hunt subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, fawn-brown collar and waistcoat; evening—scarlet, wild-honey facings. Master: (1934) Russell Kowalewski. Honorary Secretary: Maj. H. Stanford McLeod. Huntsman: The Master hunts the hounds. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Miss Phyllis Gerry, (professional) S. Amaral. Kennelman: G. Healy. Foxhounds: 15 couples cross-bred and English. Kennels at Seekonk. Drag hunting: From about September 15 to February 1st, three days a week and holidays. Junior hunts one day a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by invitation, on subscription. Accommodation at Biltmore Hotel, Providence, Rhode Island, 6 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from W. J. Rancourt stables, and at Club stables. Horse Show on the club grounds in May or early June. Hounds went out 62 times last season.

Country is 12 by 15 miles, meadow, pasture, and rolling, woodland. Fences are paneled stone walls, barways, coops over wire, and post-and-rail.

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MR. JEFFORDS' HOUNDS

Andrews Bridge,
Christiania,
Pennsylvania.
Established 1917.
Recognized 1917.



Private. Hunt livery and colors: Green, apple green, white collar; evening—scarlet, green collar, white facing. Master: (1917) Walter Morrison Jeffords. Huntsman: (professional) George Shively. Whippers-In: (professional) Raymond Lindsey. Foxhounds: 4½ couples American (blaze and tan). Kennels at Andrews Bridge. Fox hunting: September 1 to March 17, four days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation. No hotel accommodations. Hunters cannot be rented. Horse Show first Saturday in September. Hounds went out 70 times last season.

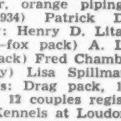
Country about 10 by 20 miles. Agricultural country mostly, rolling, with sections hilly and wooded. Jumps are natural post-and-rail fences, with wire and coops where there is wire and coops.

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A rolling country approximately 18 by 20 miles, with post-and-rail jumps.

KANAWHA HUNT

Charleston,
West Virginia.
Established 1928.
Recognized 1936.



Club and private packs, supported by contributions from members. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, green collar, orange piping; evening—same. Master: (1934) Patrick D. Koontz. Honorary Secretary: Henry D. Littaker. Huntsman: (Honorary—fox pack) A. L. Amick. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Lisa Spillman and Ann Miller. Foxhounds: Drag pack, 13 couples American; fox pack, 12 couples registered American (Walker). Kennels at Loudon Heights and Flat Woods. Fox and drag hunting: October 1 to May 1, two days a week. Special meets and junior hunts. Strangers and visitors may hunt on invitation. Accommodation in Charleston, 2 miles from drag kennels and 5 miles from fox kennels. Hunters may be rented at \$5 from Kanawha Stables. Fall and Spring Horse Shows, also Spring Hunter Trials at Charleston. Hounds went out about 95 times last season.

Drag country about 3 miles radius; fox country about 5 miles radius. Country generally rolling, some flat, some hilly. Jumps are paneled, either post-and-rail or chicken coop; some brush, some water jumps. Brush and panel jumps from 3 to 4 feet, average 3½ feet.

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Editorials**THE FOXHUNTER AND THE FARMER**

As one reads over the list of the Recognized Hunts which are published in this issue through the cooperation and kindness of the Masters of Foxhounds Association, one cannot fail to be impressed with the extent of country that is covered by these organizations and the influence they represent. Foxhunting can be a great force for good sportsmanship all through the United States if the part hunting should play is more thoroughly understood by the foxhunter as well as by the farmer.

Through the years in England, hunting has come to be looked upon as a sacred sport and those who wear pink and follow Hounds across country symbolize sport as it is known throughout the British Isles. In one fashion or another the English people of the countryside share in this sport, they take an interest in the Hounds, they understand what is going forward and on hunting days they come for many miles to see the meet, some to follow on foot or bicycles, carts or automobiles. The great crowds at the English Meets make hunting Hounds far more difficult for the Master and the huntsman, but the interest in the hunt, makes the general problem of maintaining the hunt in the country far easier.

The reason for this interest in England is probably one of natural growth through the years, of understanding and sympathy for the problems of the farmer and the foxhunter. In America there is much to be done in creating a sympathy for the chase. Show the average American the Foxhunter in hunting pink, and he is astonished and thoroughly skeptical, although there is a reason for every piece of equipment the foxhunter employs. But the American farmer cannot be reasoned with, he has to be shown. He ought to be shown in such a way that as the hunt goes by he can feel that they are his friends who are thinking of him.

Every foxhunter has the chance of making friends with the farmers over whose land he hunts. The tolerance of some may be purchased, but real understanding must be won through a spirit of cooperation. Too many times, the Master has to warn his followers to keep off the wheat, too many times it is left to the Master to keep the farmers friendly. Followers take the friendship of country people over whose land they hunt as a matter of course, but what if a group of farmers came galloping across their lawns once a week with their work horses on a paper chase just after the grass had been neatly cut and rolled? Landowners would need a good reason. Foxhunting is a grand sport, but to make it flourish in the United States, every foxhunter whose hunt is recognized by the Masters of Foxhounds Association should act as part of an organization helping to maintain the cooperation, understanding and sympathy of farmers. Working as a body, these individuals can be a great force for good, working spasmodically in various sections, little can be accomplished.

Today England is engaged in a terrible struggle, but her Hounds are going out, why? Not for sport alone, but to kill foxes and so carry on for the farmer, an efficient service. Many Americans have a notion it is not sporting to kill foxes if it is possible to save them. Earths are never stopped and at times Hounds are whipped off a beaten fox. Americans at heart are not the slightest bit more kindly than their English cousins. The reason for this tenderness of heart is probably the purely selfish one of saving the fox for another run, because foxes are not as numerous as in England. A saner attitude might be the acknowledgement that foxes eat farmers' chickens, and the realization that by killing foxes hunting is doing farmers a service, which if it is not done, the farmer will have to perform himself with trap and gun. There is still much to be done for "the grand sport" and it can best be done by thoughtful men and women pausing to prove that hunting can be a pleasure and a service to more people in America.

A GREAT PACK

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Editor of The Chronicle,

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KENT COUNTY HOUNDS

Chestertown,
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Established 1831.
Recognized 1834.
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Foxhounds)



Private pack. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, lavender collar; evening—scarlet, lavender silk lapels. Joint Masters: (1931) William Ross Hubbard and (1938) Clifton M. Miller. Huntsman: (professional) Daniel Ferrick. Whippers-In: (professional) Leonard Crew. Foxhounds: 15 couples American. Kennels on Seneca Farm, about a mile and a half from Chestertown. Fox hunting: October 1 to April three days a week with bye days. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by invitation; no cap. Hotel accommodation at Chestertown, one and a half miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented but not many available. The Masters will arrange for visitors. Kent County Horse Show in September. Hounds went out 35 times last season.

Country about 15 miles square. It is a level country, with good going all winter. The jumps are only the natural fences, with chicken coops and post-and-rail panels put in the wire fences.

KESWICK HUNT CLUB

Keswick,
Albermarle County,
Virginia.
Established 1896.
Recognized 1904.



Supported by dues and subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, green collar, green vest; evening—scarlet, green facings. Joint Masters: (1938) Miss Jamie Terrill and (1939) William Haggan Perry. Honorary Secretary: Cary Jackson. Huntsman: (professional) Theodore Lloyd. Whippers-In: (professional) Andrew Branhams. Foxhounds: 16 couples American. Kennels at Keswick. Fox and drag hunting: Three days a week, September 15 to March 15. Strangers and visitors are permitted to hunt with a cap of \$2.50 after riding twice. Accommodations at Clover Fields Inn, Keswick, 2 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from \$3.50 to \$5 per hunt, from Huntsman at the kennels. Horse Show in September. Hunter Trials in October. Hounds went out 54 times last season.

Country 15 to 16; rolling, mostly grass with very little cultivation. Jumps rail and board fences.

LONDON HUNT & COUNTRY CLUB

London,
Ontario,
Canada.
Established 1885.
Recognized since its inception.



Private pack owned and supported by the Club. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, French-gray collar, white waistcoat with 1/4-inch French-blue checks; ladies—dark habit with French-gray collar; evening—scarlet, with French-gray collar and white waistcoat. Master: (1922) Colonel Ibbotson Leonard, D. S. O. Honorary Secretary: G. A. P. Brickenden. Huntsman: (professional) Clinton Brock. General Huntsman: Clayton Brock. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Miss Agnes Garvey, Mr. George Brickenden, Mr. Budd Moore, Mr. Melville Spencer. Foxhounds: 25 couples English, registered in Stud Book. Kennels about 3 miles north of City of London. Drag Hunting: August to December, three days a week. Strangers or visitors always welcome to hunt gratis. Accommodations at Hotel London, about 3 miles from kennels. A limited number of hunters can be rented. Outdoor Horse Show in June and Hunter Trials in October. Hounds went out 45 times last season.

Country is about 7 by 12 miles, including the river valleys of the north and south branches of the River Thames and of a smaller tributary called the Medway. Rolling country with some fairly steep hills, fairly well wooded along the river valleys; considerable amount of good galloping country on the pastures along the rivers. Originally all the fences were timber, but these have been largely replaced by wire, which is kept panelled as much as possible.

LONGMEADOW HOUNDS

Northbrook,
Cook County,
Illinois.
Established 1922, 1927.
Recognized 1929.



Supported by dues. First named the Indian Hill Hunt. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, meadow-green collar, maize piping; evening—scarlet, green silk facings. Joint Masters: (1933) Clark J. Lawrence, and (1939) Denison B. Hull. Honorary Secretary: Ernest S. Ballard. Huntsman: The Master (Mr. Lawrence). Whippers-In: (Honorary) Freeman J. Wood, (1st), Ross J. Beatty, Jr., (2nd). Foxhounds: 2 couples English, 7 couples crossbred, and 6 couples English Harriers. Kennels, Northbrook. Drag hunting: September 1 until stopped by winter weather, three days a week; early morning drags April-June, as weather permits. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation; arrangements for hunting privileges may be made through the Hunt Secretary.

Hunt accommodations at Evanston, 15 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from Longmeadow Hounds Kennels, Northbrook. Hounds went out 42 times last season.

Country is approximately 12 by 7 miles. Gently rolling valley land, with wide grass fields, very little plow, some permanent woodland known as Forest Preserve. Two rivers flow through this country. Jumps consist principally of post-and-rail.

LOUDOUN HUNT CLUB

Leesburg,
Virginia.
Established 1828.
Recognized 1929.



Private: supported by dues. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, black collar, white breeches; evening—scarlet, black lapels and collar. Mas-

ter: (1936) Judge J. R. H. Alexander. Honorary Secretary: Mrs. Clara H. Frye. Huntsman: Asa Ruske. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Miss Anne Hedrick, John F. Kincaid, Fred Malone, and Charles Lee. Foxhounds: 15 couples American. Kennels 3 miles south of Leesburg, on D. N. Rust, Jr.'s farm. Fox hunting: November 1 to March 1, two days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation; three times without dues after making proper arrangements. Accommodations at Leesburg Inn, 3 miles from kennels. Also Goose Creek Tavern near kennels. Hunters can be rented from S. T. Greene. Horse Show in June. Hounds went out 30 times last season.

Outline of country is very irregular, but the size is approximately 10 by 25 miles. Rolling country, post-and-rail fence, stone fence, and chicken coops, from Potomac river to mountains.

MANOR HUNT

Silver Spring,
Maryland.
Established 1938.

Club, supported by dues. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, lemon collar, black piping. Joint Masters: (1938) Boyd Keys and (1938) Bernard Brosius. Honorary Secretary: E. B. MacIntyre. Huntsman: George Wilson. Whippers-In: Marion Curran, Jr., and Carroll Curran; (professional) Palmer Beall. Foxhounds: 14 couples Crossbred. Kennels at Colesville. Fox hunting: October 1st to April 1st; two days a week and bye days. Visitors permitted to hunt on invitation of member; strangers upon application to Master; \$5 cap. Accommodation at Washington, D. C. hotels. Hunters can be rented from Frank Wilson, Layhill, Marion Curran, Wheaton and Manor Saddle Club, at \$5 per hunt. Horse Show held in May. Hounds went out 43 times last season.

Country has plenty of good galloping with some wooded rides. Jumps are natural post and rail, some paneling, chicken coops and snake fences.

MEADOW BROOK HOUNDS

Syosset, Long Island,
New York.
Established 1877.
Recognized 1894.
Operated and maintained
by Meadow Brook Club,
Westbury, Long Island,
about 8 miles from kennels.



Supported by subscriptions, dues, and capping. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, robin's egg-blue collar; evening—scarlet, robin's egg-blue collar and facings, white waistcoat. Joint Masters: (1925) Harry T. Peters and (1933) Harvey D. Gibson. Honorary Secretary: Mrs. Richard F. Babcock. Huntsman: (professional) Thomas Allison. Whippers-In: (professional) Wesly Hefflin and Charles D. Plum. Foxhounds: 50 couples crossbred and Welsh, and English. Kennels at Syosset. Fox hunting: October to April, three days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, on introduction by member; charge of \$15 per day. Accommodations, Garden City Hotel, Garden City, Long Island, about 12 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from James Maloney at Locust Valley; Harry W. Plumb, East Norwich; or Joseph Cribbins, Syosset. Point-to-Point Meeting in April. Hunter Trials in November. Hounds went out 85 times last season.

Country extends 20 miles or more from east to west and about 12 miles north to south. Open fields with high rail fences and some panels; good deal of woodland traversed by "rides". In 1914 it was found that the kennels at Meadow Brook Club were inconveniently far from meets; accordingly the hounds were removed to their present kennels at Syosset.

Through reciprocal agreement with the Smithtown Hunt, the Meadow Brook hunts also the territory of that Hunt, the combined available area therefore comprising practically all of Long Island east from the New York city line to the Peconic Bay at Riverhead, being 60 miles in length and 15 miles in width.

MEANDER HOUNDS

Locust Dale,
Virginia.
Established 1929.
Recognized 1934.



Private pack. Hunt livery and colors: Oxford gray, canary collar and waistcoat. Master: (1929) Miss F. Julius Shearer. Honorary Secretary: Miss Judith R. Shearer. Huntsman: (professional) J. Reid Jones. Whippers-In: (professional) Lewis Smith. Foxhounds: 17½ couples American. Kennels at Locust Dale. Fox hunting: (red and gray); November 1 to March 15, two days a week and bye days. Visitors welcome, on invitation. Accommodations at James Madison Hotel, Orange, 11 miles from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Hunter Trials end of March or early in April. Hounds went out 75 times last season.

Rolling country approximately 10 by 18 miles; some woodland. Much of the country is fenced in old-fashioned worm fences; some wire, which is being paneled, mostly with chicken coops; many small ditches.

METAMORA HUNT

Metamora Township,
Lapeer County,
Michigan.
Established 1928.
Recognized 1930.



Supported by voluntary subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, York-blue piping; evening—scarlet York-blue collar, robin's egg-blue lapels. Joint Masters: (1923) Frederick H. Alger, Jr., and (1938) William R. Clark. Honorary Secretary: William R. Clark. Huntsman: (professional) Guy Welby Kirby. Whippers-In: (professional) Guy Haines and Claude Wood. Foxhounds: 20 couples American. Kennels 5 miles southwest of village of Metamora. Fox hunting: Three days a week, middle of August to March 15. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, as guests of subscribers. Hotel accommodation at Frank's Inn, Metamora, 5 miles from kennels; Roosevelt Hotel, Pontiac, 20 miles; or Detroit, 45 miles. Hunters can be rented from William Clark, Oxford. Hunter Breeders

Show middle of September; Race Meeting middle of October.

Country is about 9 by 12 miles; rolling and hilly. Grass and woodland, small percentage of plow. Jumps are rail, wall, and panel.

MIDDLEBURG HUNT

Middleburg,
Loudoun County,
Virginia.
Established 1906.
Recognized 1908.



Supported by subscriptions and capping. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, apple-green collar; evening—scarlet, with scarlet velvet collar, apple-green facings. Joint Masters: (1912) Daniel C. Sands and (1932) Miss Charlotte H. Noland. Honorary Secretary: Miss Laura Sprague. Huntsman: (professional) Robert M. Maddux. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Nevell J. Ward. Foxhounds: 40 couples American. Kennels 3 miles north of Middleburg. Fox hunting: November 1 to March 15, three days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by invitation; \$15 per hunt, or \$100 per season. Hunters cannot be rented. Race Meetings second Saturday in April and in November; Horse Show last week in October. Hounds went out 69 times last season.

Country approximately 10 by 15 miles, three fourths of which is grazing and one fourth grain-growing. A portion is rolling and hilly and remainder is very level. Stone walls and rail fences predominate and the entire area is extensively paned.

MILLBROOK HUNT

Millbrook,
Dutchess County,
New York.
Established 1907.
Recognized 1909.



Supported by subscriptions of landowners. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, black collar with green piping; evening—scarlet, with b'ch velvet collar, green facings. Joint Masters: (1932) Frederic H. Bontecou and (1938) William J. Knapp. Honorary Secretary: Hemian Gifford. Huntsman: (professional) Elias Chadwell. Whippers-In: (Honorary) R. Watson-Pomeroy; (professional) Aubrey Chadwell. Foxhounds: 50 couples American (Virginia). Kennels at Millbrook. Fox hunting: August to December, four days a week. A limited number of strangers or visitors permitted to hunt upon application to Executive Committee. Accommodations at Red Pheasant Inn, 8 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from E. C. Bowden. Hounds went out 71 times last season.

Country is approximately 10 by 23 miles. A grass country, with some woodland and little plow. Fences are of timber, composed of posts and rails, snake fences, and stone walls (mostly with riders).

MILL CREEK HUNT

Millburn
(P. O. Wadsworth),
Illinois.
Established 1902.
Recognized 1929.



Formerly Onwentsia Hunt of Lake Forest until November 30, 1933.

Supported by dues and subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, blue collar with yellow piping; evening—same. Master: (1936) S. Prentiss Porter. Honorary Secretary: Prince Michael Cantacuzene. Huntsman: The Master hunts the hounds. Whippers-In: (Honorary) James Simpson, Jr., (professional and kennel huntsman) Joseph Jasper. Foxhounds: 25 couples S. B. harriers. Kennels at Millburn. Fox and drag hunting: Four days a week, from Labor Day to Christmas. Strangers and visitors permitted to hunt three times, \$10 cap per hunt. Accommodations at Deeptha Inn, Lake Forest, 15 miles from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Lake Forest Horse Show middle of June; Hunter Trials in October. Hounds went out about 63 times last season.

Country consists of a south country directly west of Lake Forest and a north country, approximately 10 miles by 3½ miles; south country approximately 5 miles by 3½ miles. It is a rolling country with good proportions of grass. Fences mostly rail, board and chicken coops with some stone walls and Aiken fences.

Country is approximately 30 by 35 miles; mixed hilly and lowland country, under cultivation. Rail fences. Can be reached from New York in one hour and a half.

* No changes reported since 1938.

MISSION VALLEY HUNT

Johnson County,
(P. O. Box No. 316),
Overland Park,
Kansas.
Established 1927.
Recognized 1930.



Club, supported by dues. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, navy-blue collar, canary-yellow piping; evening—same; (canary-yellow wristcoat worn with field uniform). Joint Masters: (1930) James K. Knapp and (1937) Mrs. Jay V. Holmes. Honorary Secretary: Byron Spencer. Huntsman: (professional) Joseph Maciey. Whippers-In: (Honorary) O. G. Boller, Byron Spencer, and W. W. Guernsey. Foxhounds: 10 couples American (Walker), 1 couple English, 13 couples crossbred. Kennels on 83rd Street, between Shawnee Mission Road and Nail Avenue. Fox, coyote and drag hunting: (Cub hunting October 1st to November 1st); regular season November 1st to April 1, three days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, if from recognized Hunts and by invitation; cap \$3. Nearest hotel accommodation at Kansas City, 4½ miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented at Somerset Place Stables one half mile from kennels. American Royal Horse Show October 14-21. Members Point-to-Point and Horse Show first Saturday in April. Hounds went out 94 times last season.

Country is 15 by 20 miles; mostly rolling, practically all blue grass. Plenty of timber and small coverts. Jumps are post-and-rail, stone walls, and natural hedges; completely paned.

MONMOUTH COUNTY* HUNT

Box 888, Red Bank,
New Jersey.
Established 1885.
Recognized 1904.



Public pack, supported by subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: (Foxhounds) scarlet, maroon collar; (harringers) green, maroon collar with yellow piping; evening—scarlet, maroon collar, scarlet facings. Master: (1933) Amory L. Haskell. Honorary Secretary: Edwin Stewart, III. Huntsman: (professional) for both packs) Albert Smith. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Bourne Ruthrauff, Edwin Stewart and E. Gaddis Plum, (professional) Lee Van Burnt. Foxhounds: 3 couples English; 60 couples harringers. Kennels at Woodland Farm, Red Bank. Hare hunting, (occasional fox); October 1 to February 1, four days a week, and all holidays. Members of other Hunts cordially invited; cap. Hotel accommodation at Molly Pitcher Hotel, Red Bank, 5 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from William Foales, Shrewsbury and Thomas S. Field, Midletown. Monmouth County Hunt Racing Association annual meeting third Saturday in October at Woodland Farm, Red Bank, estate of Amory L. Haskell. Hounds went out 80 times last season.

Country is approximately 30 by 35 miles; under cultivation. Rail fences. Can be reached from New York in one hour and a half.

* No changes reported since 1938.

MONTPELIER HUNT

Orange,
Virginia.
Established 1924, 1927.
Recognized 1926.



Private. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet with blue collar; evening—same. Joint Masters: (1927) Mrs. G. Randolph Scott and (1933) Morris S. Clark. Honorary Secretary: M. S. Clark. Huntsman: (Honorary) Morris S. Clark; (professional) Link Brookling. Whippers-In: (Honorary) James Kleckhefer. Foxhounds: 12 couples crossbred. Kennels at Milwaukee Country Club. Drag hunting: August 15 to December 15, two days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt; cap. Accommodations at Milwaukee Country Club, from which hunters can be rented. Milwaukee Country Club Horse Show between July 1 and 15. Hounds went out 39 times.

Country is approximately 30 by 15 miles. Heavily wooded, rough and hilly country. Virginia worm fences predominate; some chicken coops, post-and-rail and log jumps.

MONTREAL HUNT

Fremiere,
Province of Quebec,
Canada.
Established 1826.
Recognized since its inception.



Supported by annual dues. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet; evening—scarlet, dark-blue collar and facings. Master: (1937) W. W. Osilvie. Honorary Secretary: A. O. MacKay. Huntsman: (professional) Will Woodward. Whippers-In: (professional) G. Mondou. Foxhounds: 30 couples English. Kennels at Grande Fremiere. Fox hunting: Three days a week, from the first Saturday after September 15 until permanently stopped by frost, usually about the end of November. (Cub hunting begins mid-August). Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt; cap of \$5 per hunt. Hotel accommodation at St. Eustache, 3 miles from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Open-Air Horse Show early in September. Hunter Trials in October. Hounds went out 40 times last season.

Country is approximately 25 by 30 miles and consists of part of the County of Two Mountains, part of the County of Terrebonne, and Bizard Island; Arable and pasture predominant; inclosures small, fenced with timber, rails and stone walls with a ditch; much woodland. There is wire.

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The Good Old Days



By Alexander Mackay Smith

Editor's Note: To George Washington has gone the credit of commencing the breeding of mules in the United States. Certainly to the Father of our country goes the responsibility for having made the mule popular, but to a Jack-Ass by the name of Tickle Pitcher advertised in 1756 in the Maryland Gazette goes the award of being one of the first sires of our common mule. It is interesting that the Mt. Vernon Jacks were not advertised until 1787.

TICKLE PITCHER

1756

Maryland Gazette

To cover mares of any size this season at the plantation of John Nabb near Queen Anne's County Free School.

A Jack-ass known by the name of Tickle Pitcher. As he came of a very plain labourious family there can be little said of his beauty or pedigree, however, as the constant labor, long life, and cheap keeping of mules is well known far to exceed the very best of horses its to be supposed most people in the Plantation way will find it their interest to employ him; and as the poor as well as the rich may have it easily in their power so to do, Tickle Pitcher will perform this season on the following moderate terms:

A dollar to be paid down when each mare is first covered and two dollars more when each mule is dropped alive, or two dollars certain paid down for the chance of the season.

N. B. Good care will be taken of the mares and as it is supposed he will have more custom than he can sufficiently attend himself, there is

Essex 2 Days

Entry Blanks have been mailed for the Essex Fox Hounds Race Meeting, to be held at "Froh-Heim, Far Hills, N. J. on Wednesday, Oct. 25th., and Saturday, Oct. 28th. Entries close for both days with Fred H. Parks, Racing Secy., 250 Park Ave., on Oct. 21st.

Five races will be held each day. The feature on Wednesday will be The Froh-Heim Chase, of 2 miles over brush in its 16th., running, as well as the Mount Defiance Cup, of 2 1-2 miles over timber, in its 12th., running.

The Fowler Memorial Cup, of 3 miles over the Grand National Course, in its 4th., running with a purse of \$2,500 will bring out the country's leading big course 'chasers. The New Jersey Hunt Cup, in its 22nd., Annual Running, of 4 miles over a fair hunting country, has a purse of \$1,000 and is the co-feature of the second day.

an assistant to be had if hurry or business requires it.

Royal Gift, and the Knight Of Malta, two valuable Jack Asses, will cover Mares and Jennies at Mount Vernon, this Spring, for Five Guineas the season. The first, is of the most valuable race in the Kingdom of Spain. The other, lately imported from Malta, by the way of Paris, is not inferior. Royal Gift (now 5 years old) has increased remarkably in size since he covered last year and not a Jenney, and scarcely a Mare to which he went, missed. The Knight of Malta will be 3 years old this Spring, is near 14 hands high most beautifully formed for an ass and extremely light, active and sprightly. Comparatively speaking, he resembles a fine Courser. These two Jacks seem as if designed for different purposes equally valuable. The first, by his weight and great strength, to get Mules for the slow and heavy Draught. The other, by his Activity and Sprightliness for quicker movements on the Road. The value of Mules, on account of their longevity, strength, hardiness and cheap keeping, is too well known to need Description. John Fairfax, overseer Mount Vernon, March 12, 1787.

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One Day For United

The Board of Directors of the United Hunts Racing Assn., which Association stands "For Sport's Sake and Better Sport," met on Monday, Sept. 25th., to consider plans for the current Autumn Meeting. It was de-

cided to hold only a one day meeting this autumn, at Belmont Park, Elmont, Long Island, on Election Day, Tuesday, Nov. 7th.

Lewis E. Waring, Secretary of the United Hunts Assn., issued this announcement last week. The United Hunts had applied for and been granted two racing days, November 7th., and 11th., but the Directors decided to concentrate on one session to insure large fields and good com-

petition.

The program will be the same as in 1938, with the exception that in the feature event: "The Temple Gwathmey Memorial Steeplechase Handicap" the money has been increased from \$2,500 to \$3,000. Other steeplechase events on the six race card will be the New York Turf Writers Cup and the Cherry Malotte. Three races on the flat will complete the program.

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MOORE COUNTY HOUNDS

Southern Pines,
Moore County,
North Carolina.
Established 1914.
Recognized 1920.



Private pack. Contributions toward a fencing fund are accepted. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, navy-blue collar; evening—scarlet, bright-blue collar. Joint Masters: (1914) James Boyd and (1914) Jackson H. Boyd. Honorary Secretary: Jackson H. Boyd. Huntsman: (Honorary) Jackson H. Boyd. Kennel Huntsman: (prof.) Cicero Carpenter. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Almet Jenks, Wm. Stratton and Merrit Sugg. Foxhounds: 1½ couples American; 3½ couples crossed; 1 couple English harriers. Kennels at Southern Pines. Fox and drag hunting: One fixture a week fox, with an occasional by day; two fixtures a week drag; November 1 to March 1. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation. There are several good hotels in and near Southern Pines. Hunters can be rented, terms as arranged with renter. Hounds went out 79 times.

Country hunted is approximately 20 miles square in the southeastern part of Moore County; a gently rolling woodland country, some parts of which are pastures and plow; sandy soil. While not stiffly fenced, this country requires a stout, clever horse.

MYOPIA HUNT CLUB

Hamilton,
Massachusetts.
Established 1882.
Recognized 1894.



Club pack, supported partly by dues and partly by subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, canary-yellow collar; evening—scarlet, canary-yellow silk facings. Master: (1936) Gordon C. Prince. Honorary Secretary: Edward F. MacNichol. Huntsman: The Master. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Bayard Tuckerman, Jr. and Francis B. Chaffee. Foxhounds: 10 couples English and Welsh; 15 couples American and crossed. Kennels at Hamilton. Fox and drag hunting: Fox two days a week, and drag three days, September 1 to January; fox hunting through the winter as conditions permit. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation. Nearest hotel accommodations at Salem, 10 miles from kennels. A few hunters can be rented. Horse Show on Labor Day; Hunter Trials in October. Race Meeting in November. Hounds went out about 97 times last season.

Country hunted is Essex County, Massachusetts, and into New Hampshire and is approximately 20 by 17 miles. Pasture, and some large woodlands. Stone walls with riders, post-and-rail and board paneling.

NANTUCKET HARRIERS

Nantucket Island,
Massachusetts.
Established 1926.
Recognized 1931.

Private pack; partly supported by subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Linen or salt sack coat with red collar. Master: (1935) Mrs. Rebecca Lanier Trimp. Honorary Secretary: The Master. Huntsman: The Master. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Miss Sheila McCreery; (professional) William Thompson, Jr. Foxhounds: 13 couples beagles. Kennels on Cato Lane Nantucket. Hare (established native) hunting: July, August, and part of September, four days a week, and bye days. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation of the Master, on payment of cap. Hotel accommodations at The White Elephant, the Sea Cliff Inns, Ships Inn. Hunters can be rented from Nantucket Hunting Stable, Theodore Wahl, Mgr. Horse Show around middle of August. Hounds went out about 50 times last season.

The country hunted is the entire island of Nantucket, about 14 by 4 miles. A fine galloping country of open moors and run-out farms. Some paneling has been done around inclosures. About the only place in America where one can get a gallop behind hounds in July, August and September.

NORFOLK HUNT CLUB

Medfield,
Massachusetts.
Established 1895.
Recognized 1903.



Club; dues and hunting members must pay a regular subscription to the hounds. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, apple-green collar; evening—scarlet, apple-green facings. Master: (1933) Mrs. I. Tucker Burr, Jr. Honorary Secretary: Gelston T. King. Huntsman: The Master. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Richard Saltonstall and Paul C. Cabot; (professional) Bragdon MacGregor. Foxhounds: 20 couples American. Kennels at Medfield. Fox and drag hunting: From the end of August to middle of December, longer if ground and snow conditions permit; three days a week; bye days on holidays. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by invitation of the Master or executive committee. Hotel accommodations at Medfield Inn, Medfield, 2 miles from kennels. Local Hunter Trials in October. Hunters can be rented from John Dailey, at Club Stables. Hounds went out about 40 times last season.

The country is approximately 12 by 13 miles. Small fields, stone walls topped by riders; very few post-and-rail; some ditches.

OAKS HUNT

Great Neck,
Long Island, New York.
Established 1931.



Private pack, supported by subscriptions and capping. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, yellow collar, yellow vest; evening—scarlet, scarlet collar, yellow facings. Joint Masters: (1932) P. J. Kriegerbocker; (1938) Aubrey V. Gold. Honorary Secretary: Mrs. D. J. Kriegerbocker. Huntsman: (professional) John Jay. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Ryder Henry, 2nd, Charles Bernuth and Miss Ann M. Ottarson. Foxhounds: 10 couples American, 3 couples cross-

bred. Kennels at Great Neck. Drag (occasional fox) hunting: Two days a week and bank holidays, from September to April. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, capping. Accommodations at The Colony Hotel, Great Neck, one mile from kennels. Hunters can be rented from James Rice Stables at Great Neck; Lakeville Stables, Great Neck. Hounds went out 56 times last season.

Country approximately 9 by 5 miles. Good galloping rolling country, well paneled, post-and-rails, some woodland.

OCOMONOWOC HUNT

Oconomowoc,
Wisconsin.
Established 1928.
Recognized 1929.



Supported by subscriptions and capping. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, royal-purple collar; evening—scarlet, royal-purple reverses. Joint Masters: (1935) Robert E. Pabst and (1935) Clement Hackney. Honorary Secretary: Clement Hackney. Huntsman: Frank Cox. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Mrs. O. L. Prime, Wm. B. Chester and Richard Friedlander (professional) Pat Dixon. Foxhounds: 6 couples English, 1 couple crossed. Kennels at Oconomowoc. Drag hunting: From August 15 to November 30, two days a week and by days. Strangers or visitors are permitted to hunt; \$5 cap. Accommodations at Majestic Hotel and Draper Hall, Oconomowoc, three miles from the kennels. Hunters can be rented from Fred Pabst, Pabst Farms, Oconomowoc, and Frank Cox, Delafield. Horse Show held every other year at Oconomowoc last week in June or first week in July. Hounds went out 33 times last season.

Country is approximately 25 by 20 miles; generally rolling and well wooded, but hilly in the southern part. Some natural fences of stone walls and snake, but much of it is wire and has been paneled.

OLD CHATHAM HUNT

Old Chatham,
Columbia County,
New York.
Established 1928.
Recognized 1930.



Club, supported by subscriptions and dues. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, canary-yellow collar and green piping; evening—scarlet, canary-yellow facings, green collar. Master: (1939) Chester A. Braman. Honorary Secretary: Mrs. G. J. Stevens. Huntsman: (professional) Thomas Thornton. Whippers-In: (Honorary) W. Gordon Cox, and John Carroll. Foxhounds: 20 couples American. Kennels at Old Chatham. Fox hunting: Two days a week and by days, September 1 to January (until weather prohibits). Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation of subscriber: \$10 cap. Accommodation at Old Chatham Inn, Old Chatham, one mile from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Hounds went out 36 times last season.

Country is approximately 25 by 15 miles. Center of country surrounding kennels rolling pasture, meadow and plow lands, with small coverts. Fences post-and-rail, stone wall, stone wall with rider, chicken coops.

OLD DOMINION HOUNDS

Crest Hill,
Virginia.
Established 1924.
Recognized 1925.



Private, supported by the Master and subscriptions from invited friends and landowners. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, red collar; evening—scarlet, red collar and facings. Master: (1924) Sterling Larabee. Honorary Secretary: The Master. Huntsman: (professional) Will Putnam. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Miss Anne Kenyon; (professional) Oscar Hefflin. Foxhounds: 32 couples American (Virginia strain). Kennels near Rock Ford Bridge, Rappahannock County. Fox hunting: October 5 to March 1, three days a week and bye days. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by invitation of the Master or landowners or subscribers to hounds. Accommodations at Warren Green Hotel, Warrenton, 20 miles from kennels. Ricketts's Hotel, Flint Hill, 4½ miles. Hunters cannot be rented. Point-to-Point Race Meeting held December 6, 1938. Hounds went out 67 times last season.

Country approximately 12 by 16 miles. Most of the country is in large grazing farms, about four fifths being in grass and the remaining fifth in woodland and plow. Fences are all big stone walls and rails, with very little wire. Requires a well-bred horse, that is an exceptional jumper.

ORANGEBURG HUNT

Orangeburg,
New York.
Established 1933.



Private pack, supported by subscriptions and capping. Hunt livery and colors: Bottle green with emerald collar. Joint Masters: (1933) Gregory W. Spurr and (1933) Douglas R. Coleman. Honorary Secretary: Mrs. Edith Chapman. Huntsman: (professional) Frank Hawkins. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Miss Phyllis Childs and Sanford Potter. Foxhounds: 12 couples American. Kennels: Orangeburg. Drag (occasional fox) hunting: Two seasons; October 1st to December 31st, two days a week and February 22nd to May 1st, two days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt upon proper introduction by a subscriber in good standing who must request the Master's permission in advance. Accommodation at Hotel St. George, Nyack, three miles from kennels. A limited number of hunters can be rented, advance booking advisable; Shannon Stables: \$10 per hunt. A horse show is held annually on October 11th. Hounds went out 46 times last season.

The country hunted is approximately ten

miles square. Large coverts; considerable plough and rough abandoned farmland. For the most part a blind country; interspersed with low swampy spots which are treacherous. Fences are stone walls and wire which has been panelling with chicken coops; almost no post-and-rail.

ORANGE COUNTY HUNT CLUB

The Plains,
Virginia.
Established 1903.
Recognized 1903.



Club; Hunt expenses are met by the members and subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet; evening—scarlet, white corded-silk facings. Master: (1920) Fletcher Harper. Huntsman: (professional) Sterling Leach. Whippers-In: (professional) Douglas Burgess. Foxhounds: 40 couples American, (medium size of the Madison Virginia type). Kennels at The Plains. For hunting November 1 to April 1, four days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by invitation only; season subscription \$300, per cap \$15 (up to four hunts). Hounds went out about 104 times last season.

The boundary of the country is irregular, but averages about 10 by 12 miles. A rolling country; fences are stone, plank and rail.

OX RIDGE HOUNDS

Darien,
Connecticut.
Established 1914.
Recognized 1929.



Private supported by subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Dark green, orange collar, orange waistcoat; evening—scarlet, orange facings, green collar. Master: (1938) P. M. Browne. Honorary Secretary: J. Kenneth Mickie. Huntsman: Wilson Hudson. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Frederick H. Schall, (professional) Otto H. Heukeroth. Foxhounds: 6½ couples American. Kennels at Darien. Drag hunting: About October 1 until permanent frost, two days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation of a subscriber and \$5 capping fee. This privilege limited to 3 hunts per season. Hunters can be rented from club stables \$10 per hunt; Mrs. Sidney B. Self, New Canaan, and Mrs. Frank Thompson, Wilton. Accommodations at Roger Smith Hotel, Stamford, 4 miles from kennels, Silvermine Tavern, Silvermine, Norwalk 5 miles from kennels. Annual open two day show in June. Adjacent Hunts Run meet, Rye, N. Y., in October and Point-to-Point in October at Wilton. Hounds went out 26 times.

Country is 12 to 15 by 8 to 10 miles; woodland, mostly open fields; trappy. Stone walls and panels.

PERKIOMEN VALLEY HUNT CLUB

Collegeville,
Pennsylvania.
Established 1924.
Recognized 1926.



Club pack, supported by Hunt subscriptions and caps. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, dark-green collar. Master: (1931) Dr. Clarkson Addis. Honorary Secretary: Charles A. Belz. Huntsman: The Master. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Mrs. Clarkson Addis, Charles Allen and Jason Regar; (professional) Harry Mangold. Foxhounds: 30 couples American. Kennels on Tally-Ho Farm, Collegeville. Fox hunting: September 1 to April 1, three days a week, and all legal holidays. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, on invitation, by appointment. Accommodations at Perkiomen Bridge Hotel, one mile from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Farmers' Day held on Thanksgiving Day. Hounds went out 55 times last season.

Country covers L-shaped territory approximately 10 by 40 miles, over natural hilly hilly country, including woods and streams.

PICKERING HUNT

Valley Forge,
(P. O. Phoenixville),
Pennsylvania.
Established 1911.
Recognized 1911.



Club supported by dues and subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet or Oxford gray, white or tan breeches; evening—scarlet, continental blue and old-gold collar. Master: (1931) William J. Clothier. Honorary Secretary: Samuel McCreery. Huntsman: (professional) Edward M. Mooney. Whippers-In: (professional) Elwood Devonshire. Foxhounds: 30 couples American. Kennels at Williams Corner. Fox hunting: Every hunting day from September to April. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt only when invited by members; cap. Accommodations at Washington Inn, Valley Forge. Hunters cannot easily be rented. Race Meeting on Mr. Clothier's estate every fall.

A rolling country, approximately 12 by 18 miles; well wooded, but plenty of open country for galloping.

PIEDMONT FOX HOUNDS

Upperville,
Fauquier County,
Virginia.
Established 1840.
Recognized 1904.



Private pack, with fifteen proprietary members living in the country. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, old-gold collar; evening—scarlet, old-gold collar and waistcoat, and black breeches. Master: (1931) Dr. Archibald C. Randolph. Honorary Secretary and Treasurer: Richard Peach. Huntsman: (professional) Josh Craun. Whippers-In: (professional) I. Beavers. Foxhounds: 28 couples American. Kennels at Upperville. Fox hunting: October 15 to March 15, two days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation;

subscriptions and caps printed on reverse side of Hunt cards. Fall Race Meeting.

Country is situated at the northern end of the Piedmont Valley about 60 miles from Washington, D. C. It is about 20 by 12 miles. It is a grain-growing and grazing country made up of large farms. Fences are stone and wood. Large section of country is now panelled with post-and-rail. It is a big galloping country.

The Hunt was established about 1840 by Colonel Richard H. Dulany of Welbourne, as a private pack. There is a legend in the Piedmont country of a fox with two brushes that only runs on the full of the moon and has never been killed. This probably is a negro tale but it accounts for the crossed brushes under the mask on the button.

PINE TREE HUNT CLUB

Columbia,
South Carolina.
Established 1938.

Club, supported by dues. Hunt livery and colors: Black coat, scarlet collar with blue piping. Master: (1938) William L. Boyd. Honorary Secretary: J. Bryan Grimes. Huntsman: C. J. Nairn. Whippers-In: (Honorary) J. Bryan Grimes and J. Henry Fair, Jr. Foxhounds: 6 couples American; 1½ couples English. Kennels at Forest Drive Riding Academy, Columbia. Drag (some fox) hunting: October 15th April 15th, one day a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt upon invitation of a member. Accommodation at Jefferson and Columbia hotels, 5 miles from the kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Horse Show 2nd Saturday in April at Columbia. Hounds went out 22 times last season.

Country is mostly Camp Jackson Military Reservation. Rolling wooded sand hill country approximately 14 miles by 5 miles. Very few fences, jumps are post-and-rail three feet high.

POTOMAC HUNT

Great Elm Farm,
Rockville,
Maryland.
Established 1910.
Recognized 1931.



Formerly Riding and Hunt Club, name changed June, 1938.

Club pack, supported by Hunt subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Colonial colors—scarlet, blue collar with buff piping; evening—white. Joint Masters: (1933) Dr. Fred R. Sanderson and (1937) Harry H. Semmes. Honorary Secretary: Dr. James M. Greear, Jr. Huntsman: (professional) Phil Bowen. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Claude W. Owen, Fenton M. Fadley, Jr., Marshall Encinios, (professional) Ray Glacken. Foxhounds: 24 couples American and crossed. Kennels at Great Elm Farm, Rockville. Fox hunting: November 1 to April 1, two days a week, and all holidays. Visitors permitted to hunt on invitation of member. Nearest accommodations at Congressional Country Club through courtesy of member, 5 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from C. H. Carrico, Bradley Farms, Potomac. Point-to-Point race in early April. Hounds went out 54 times last season.

Country is about 15 by 6 miles; consisting of rolling farm country with considerable woods and number of stream lines. Usual natural rail fences as well as chicken coops, etc.

PRINCESS ANNE HUNT

Norfolk,
Princess Anne County,
Virginia.
Established 1927.
Recognized 1937.



Club, supported by Hunt subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, with green collar; evening—none. Master: (1927) K. C. Johnson. Honorary Secretary: Antionette Dakken. Huntsman: The Master. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Edward Hofheimer, Dr. J. J. O'Keefe, Jr., Thomas Watson. Foxhounds: 10 couples American. Kennels just northwest of Virginia Beach. Fox and drag hunting: October through March three days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation of members. Accommodations at Cavalier Hotel, Virginia Beach, 1 mile from kennels. Hunters can be rented from Cavalier Stables. Hounds went out about 77 times last season.

Country is approximately 14 by 16 miles. A rather flat country, with a great many ditches and some rail fences.

QUANSETT HOUNDS

South Westport,
Massachusetts.
Established 1920.
Recognized 1922.



Club, supported by subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, with azure-blue collar; evening—scarlet with azure-blue facings. Joint Masters: (1932) William Almy, Jr., and (1935) Bayard Tuckerman, Jr. Honorary Secretary: Dr. Charles A. Bonney. Huntsman: (Honorary) William Almy, Jr. 1st Whip and Kennel Huntsman: (professional) M. Petey, (Honorary) Alexander S. Pierce. Foxhounds: 22 couples American. Kennels at South Westport. Fox hunting: Two days a week from November 1 to April 1. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, \$150 per season. Accommodations, New Bedford hotel 15 miles from the kennels. Hunters can be rented from W. M. Boyden, Dartmouth. Hounds went out about 90 times last season.

The country is hunted within a radius of 25 miles from kennels. Mostly stone-wall country, with considerable thick woods and swamps lying along seashore and inlets to the sea.

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Patricia du Pont On Kingvulture Sets Springfield Pace

Miss Joan Townsend Rides Glendhu To Stake Award And Championship

Last year the program of the Eastern States Exhibition, in Springfield, Massachusetts, was torn apart by hurricane and flood. Those were anxious days for a management with hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of livestock on hand.

It comes under the head of modern day miracles that every single animal, nervous show horses, prize bulls, beef cattle, draft horses—all the valuable breeding stock that is on parade at such a show, was removed to a place of safety in the middle of the night without accident or loss of any sort. And it was this same quiet, courageous forethought that reorganized the Eastern States Exhibition again this year Sept. 20-23 without a hint of the disaster of a year ago.

Hunters and Jumpers, Harness and Saddle Ponies, Saddle Horses and equitation-Springfield was a grand show! **Kingvulture**, ridden by his owner, Miss Patricia du Pont, was the tops of the Hunter Division. Performing with his usual clocklike regularity he won the Qualified over four feet, Thoroughbred, Heavyweight and Corinthian, but in the Ladies' his size set him behind Glendhu Farm's nice five year old mare **Glenara**.

Eddie Hogan's honest little brown, **Border Stripe**, who was so successful at Devon when Eddie was in the Pennsylvania Military Collage, won the Lightweight and was second to **Kingvulture** in the Thoroughbred and Corinthian classes. Besides winning the Ladies, **Glenara** was second to **Kingvulture** in the Qualified and teamed with **Glendhu** to win The Pairs—and then came The Stake!

It is difficult to disassociate Springfield's Horse Show from the rest of the Fair. It is impossible to get it away from the Fair's fireworks. Bombs started bursting in air during the Harness pony Stake Saturday night with varying results.

Never was there such a reversal of form in the Stake. The Hunters had been taking Bomb-Bursting while waiting for the class to be called and once in the ring they threw consistency to the winds. **Kingvulture** refused the second fence and then rushed for the nearest exit. **Glenara** dogged it all the way, jumping nervously and brushing her fences badly. **Border Stripe** misjudged his, too, and finally stopped at one of them. The winner of the Stake is named champion of the show at Springfield and for awhile, as one bad performance was followed by another, it looked as if there wasn't going to be one, but then little Miss Joan Townsend came in on Glendhu Farm's well known open-to-all mare **Glendhu** who, aided by a superb ride, turned in a practically perfect hunter-like performance to be named the winner and Champion of the Show.

Freddy Pinch almost equalled this performance with Miss Marjorie Henderson's practical big heavyweight **Waywood**, to be Reserve and behind them in order finished **Kingvulture**, **Glenara**, Mrs. Charles P. Durfee's nice chestnut, **Sling Shot** and, last of all, **Border Stripe**. Two well filled green classes were won by Dilwyn.

Farms much improved four-year-old **Southpaw** and Mr. and Mrs. William E. Schlusemeyer's attractive, consistent **Desert Girl** with Justin Yozell's **Lorna** and Tipperary Stables' **Clare's Toy** second and third in both events, Ben Birnie's **Spire Set** and **Southpaw** took the white ribbons. All of these horses looked and moved like hunters.

At each session Mr. Van Sinderen exhibited his smart miniature coach pulled by four fast roan ponies, the Wilson Co. provided contrast with their six horse hitch of huge Clydesdales and Captain T. Fred Marsman, who came over with the Royal Dutch Army in 1926, made dressage look easy on his Thoroughbred horse **Gygeo**. This horse was hunted up to last February and has only had four months training, besides this he is by the **Man O'War** stallion **Genie** out of the **Man O'War** mare **Ringtail**, and didn't have the world's best disposition but now, although he is still green at the business, he goes through his routine accurately and cheerfully as if he enjoyed it and is an excellent example of the benefit of a bit of higher education.

SUMMARIES

Wednesday, September 20

Hunters. Light, Middle and Heavyweight, 4'-0". First, Patricia du Pont's ch. g. King-

vulture; 2nd, Glendhu Farm's ch. m. **Glenara**; 3rd, Marjorie Henderson's br. g. **Waywood**; 4th, Glendhu Farm's ch. m. **Glendhu**.

Open Jumping, Limit, 4'-0". First, Morgan Horse Stable's ch. g. **Joylips**; 2nd, Suntaug Stable's b. m. **Marlene**; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Schlusemeyer's ch. m. **Desert Girl**; 4th, Mrs. W. K. Sessions, Jr.'s ch. g. **Jimmy Dale**.

Open Jumping, Limit, 4'-0". First, Virginia M. Hannan's b. g. **Diplomat**; 2nd, Buttonwood Farm's b. m. **Rexanna**; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Schlusemeyer's ch. m. **Desert Girl**; 4th, Mrs. W. K. Sessions, Jr.'s ch. g. **Jimmy Dale**.

Ladies Hunters, 4'-0". First, Glendhu Farm's ch. m. **Glenara**; 2nd, Miss Patricia du Pont's ch. g. **Kingvulture**; 3rd, Marjorie Henderson's br. g. **Waywood**; 4th, Glendhu Farm's ch. m. **Glendhu**.

Open Jumping, Novice, 4'-0". First, Morgan Horse Stable's ch. g. **Joylips**; 2nd, J. O'C. and Daniel H. Conway's ch. m. **Burma**; 3rd, Eddie Hogan's ch. g. **Air-Flight**; 3rd, Peter F. Sullivan, Jr.'s b. g. **Paddy Shannon**; 4th, Glendhu Farm's ch. g. **Thruster**.

Open Jumping, Novice, 5'-0". First, J. O'C. and Daniel H. Conway's ch. m. **Burma**; 2nd, Eddie Hogan's ch. g. **Air-Flight**; 3rd, Peter F. Sullivan, Jr.'s b. g. **Paddy Shannon**; 4th, Glendhu Farm's ch. g. **Thruster**.

Open Jumping, Olympic Course, 4'-6". First, Suntaug Stable's b. m. **Marlene**; 2nd, Glendhu Farm's ch. g. **Thruster**; 3rd, Joe Ciancola's ch. g. **Royalty**; 4th, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Schlusemeyer's ch. m. **Desert Girl**; 4th, Eddie Hogan's ch. g. **Hi-Rock Pompo**.

Friday, September 22, Afternoon. Thoroughbred Hunter, 4'-0". First, Miss Patricia du Pont's ch. g. **Kingvulture**; 2nd, Eddie Hogan's ch. g. **Border-Stripe**; 3rd, Mrs. Charles P. Durfee's ch. g. **Sling Shot**; 4th, Tipperary Stable's ch. m. **Clare Toy**.

Open Jumping, Olympic Course, 4'-6". First, Suntaug Stable's b. m. **Marlene**; 2nd, Glendhu Farm's ch. g. **Thruster**; 3rd, Eddie Hogan's ch. g. **Border-Stripe**; 4th, Tipperary Stable's ch. m. **Clare Toy**.

Open Jumping, 4'-0". First, J. O'C. and Daniel H. Conway's ch. m. **Burma**; 2nd, Peter

F. Sullivan, Jr.'s b. g. **Paddy Shannon**; 3rd, Glendhu Farm's ch. m. **Glendhu**; 4th, Glendhu Farm's ch. g. **Thruster**.

Saturday Morning, September 23. Green Hunters. Over 3'-6". First, Dilwyn Farm's ch. g. **Southpaw**; 2nd, Justin Yozell's ch. m. **Lorna**; 3rd, Tipperary Stable's ch. m. **Clare's Toy**; 4th, Ben Birnie's ch. m. **Spire**.

Middle and Heavyweight Hunters, 4' and less. First, Miss Patricia du Pont's ch. g. **Kingvulture**; 2nd, Marjorie Henderson's br. g. **Waywood**; 3rd, Mrs. Charles P. Durfee's ch. m. **Clare's Toy**; 4th, Peter F. Sullivan, Jr.'s b. g. **Paddy Shannon**.

Green Hunters, 4'-0". First, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Schlusemeyer's ch. m. **Desert Girl**; 2nd, Justin Yozell's ch. m. **Lorna**; 3rd, Tipperary Stable's ch. m. **Clare's Toy**; 4th, Dilwyn Farm's ch. g. **Southpaw**.

Hunters' Pairs, 4'-0". First, Glendhu Farm; 2nd, Tipperary Stable; 3rd, Charles P. Durfee.

Saturday Afternoon, September 23. Local Jumpers. Open Jumping, 4'-0". First, George G. Nichols's b. g. **Frisco Lad**; 2nd, Daniel H. Conway's b. g. **Edmonton**; 3rd, P. J. Doherty's gr. g. **Grey Dawn**; 4th, Jack Grogan, Jr.'s ch. g. **Gold Dust**.

Touch and Out, 4'-0". First, Mrs. W. K. Sessions, Jr.'s ch. g. **Jimmy Dale**; 2nd, Glendhu Farm's ch. g. **Thruster**; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Schlusemeyer's ch. m. **Desert Girl**; 4th, J. O'C. and Daniel H. Conway's b. g. **Edmonton**.

Saturday Evening, September 23. Open Jumping, 4'-6". First, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Schlusemeyer's ch. m. **Desert Girl**; 2nd, Mrs. W. K. Sessions, Jr.'s ch. g. **Jimmy Dale**; 3rd, Glendhu Farm's ch. g. **Thruster**; 4th, J. O'C. and Daniel H. Conway's ch. m. **Burma**.

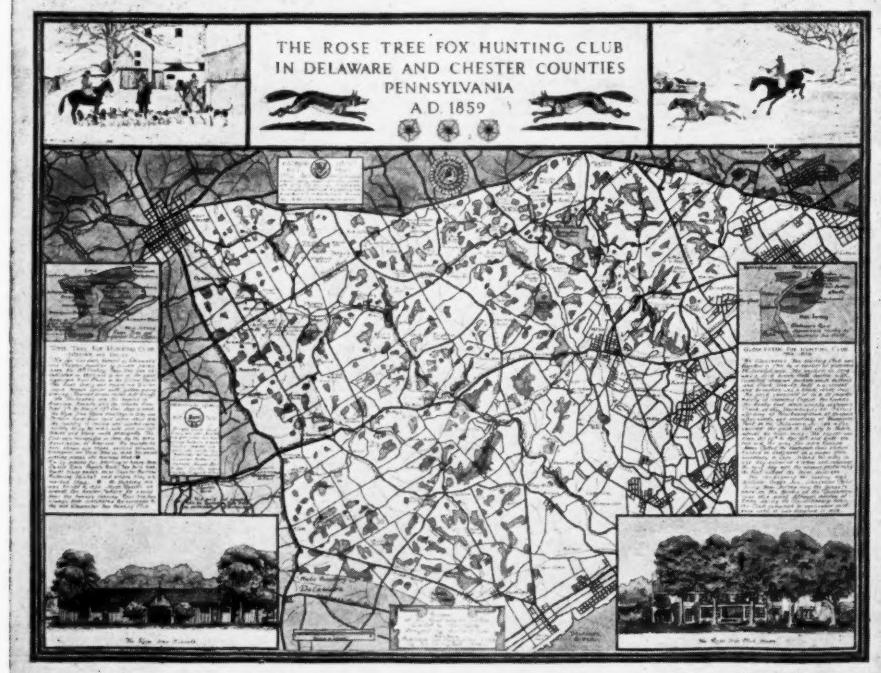
Corinthian Class, 4'-0". First, Miss Patricia du Pont's ch. g. **Kingvulture**; 2nd, Eddie Hogan's ch. g. **Border-Stripe**; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Schlusemeyer's ch. m. **Desert Girl**; 4th, Glendhu Farm's ch. m. **Glendhu**.

Hunter Champion. First, Glendhu Farm's ch. m. **Glendhu**, Champion of Show; 2nd, Marjorie Henderson's br. g. **Waywood**, Reserve; 3rd, Miss Patricia du Pont's ch. g. **Kingvulture**; 4th, Glendhu Farm's ch. m. **Glendhu**.

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RADNOR HUNT

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Chester County,
Pennsylvania.
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Recognized 1894.

**ROCKY FORK HUNT**

Gahanna,
Ohio.
Established 1925.
Recognized 1927.



Club, supported by dues and Hunt subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, gray collar; evening—same, with gray silk facings. Master: (1929) M. Roy Jackson. Huntsman: (professional) James O'Neal. Whipper-In: (professional) Joseph Bird. Foxhounds: 60 couples American and 22 couples crossbred. Kennels at White Horse. Fox hunting: September 1 to April 1, four days a week. Friends of members may hunt by invitation of any member. Hotel accommodation at Bryn Mawr, 8 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from Mr. Hunter Lucas and Holly Ashby, Paoli. Race meeting held in May at Chesterbrook Farm near Phoenixville. Hounds were out 129 times last season.

Country is approximately 5 by 6 by 15 miles and is rather rolling with good galloping. Principally fenced with post-and-rail.

RAPPAHANNOCK HUNT

Korea and Washington,
Rappahannock County,
Virginia.
Established 1926.



Recognized 1939.

Club, supported by dues and caps. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, cobalt-blue collar and/or oxford gray or black with cobalt blue collar. Joint Masters: (1939) Hugh Bywaters and (1939) W. A. Miller. Honorary Secretary: W. A. Miller. Huntsman: Brown Smith (professional). Whippers-In: (Honorary) Jack W. Bruce and W. F. Moffett. Foxhounds: 16 couples American, some crossbred Walkers. Kennels at Korea and Sperryville. For hunting: October 15th to March 1st, two days a week, holidays and bye-days. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by invitation or consent of the Masters; cap. Accommodation at Rose Hill Tourist Home, Washington, 1½ miles from the kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Horse Show about middle of July at Washington. Hounds went out about 72 times last season.

The country is a stock country about 25 miles square; all natural fences, not a panel in the country, natural stone walls and rail fences, but not nearly as stiff as believed by outsiders.

REDLAND HUNT

Rockville,
Maryland.
Established 1932.
Recognized 1938.



Private pack, supported by subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, old-gold collar with black piping; evening—scarlet, old-gold facing. Master: (1932) Thomas T. Mott. Honorary Secretary: Edward W. Fletcher. Kennel Huntsman: (professional) Frank Fraley. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Mr. Tom Mott, Jr., and Mr. Hazel Welsh; (professional) Joe Fraley. Foxhounds: 25 couples American. Kennels on farm of John Fraley, Derwood. Fox hunting: November 1 to March 1, two days per week; bye days on call of Master. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by payment of subscription of \$10 per day per horse. For more than three days, a minimum seasonal subscription of \$70 per person. For information as to hotel accommodation and renting of hunters apply to secretary. Point-to-Point meeting at close of hunting season. Horse Show in September. Hounds went out 36 times last season.

Country consists of 15 square miles of rolling, good open galloping country, some rivers, and two creeks. Stone fences, chicken coops, post-and-rail.

RIDGEWOOD HOUNDS

Sterling Junction,
Massachusetts.
Established 1933.



Private pack, supported by the Masters, with contributions to fencing fund accepted. Hunt and livery colors: Scarlet, purple collar. Joint Masters: (1933) Mr. and Mrs. Calvin B. Farnsworth. Honorary Secretary: Clifford Sweet. Huntsman: The Master (Mr. Farnsworth). Whipper-In: (professional) Clarence LaPearl. Foxhounds: 7½ couples American and crossbred. Kennels at Sterling Junction. Drag hunting: Twice a week from September 15 to December 15. Strangers or visitors are permitted to hunt on invitation and payment of a cap. Accommodations at Worcester, 10 miles from the kennels. Hunters can be rented from Harry Good, West Medford, at \$10 per hunt.

The country is approximately 10 by 20 miles, of rolling farm land, with occasional wooded sections, fenced largely with stone walls, chicken coops wherever wire occurs.

ROCK HILL HOUNDS

Rock Hill, Woodberry,
Warren County, Virginia.
Established 1938.



Private pack—privately supported. Hunt livery and colors: Dark brown coat, pale blue collar; evening—Scarlet, pale blue collar. Master: (1938) Raymond Guest. Huntsman: (Honorary) Horace Moffett. Whipper-In: (professional) William Rawlins. Foxhounds: 19 couples American. Kennels at Rock Hill, Woodberry, Warren County. Fox hunting: October 1st to March 1st, weather permitting; every hunting day. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by invitation only. Accommodation at Front Royal about 10 miles from the kennels. Hunters can be rented from George Wallahan, Front Royal; terms reasonable. Hounds went out about 70 times last season.

Country is approximately 8 miles square. Partly mountainous with some agricultural. Jumps are post-and-rail and chicken coops.

ROSE TREE FOX HUNTING CLUB

Media,
Pennsylvania.
Established 1895.
Recognized 1904.



Club, supported by Hunt subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, with black velvet collar, green lapels; evening—same. Joint Masters: (1937) Dr. Wells H. Teachnor (1937) M. G. Woodhull. Honorary Secretary: Albert M. Miller. Huntsman (professional) Will Leverton. Whippers-In (Honorary) J. H. Hislop (professional) Robert Torne. Foxhounds: 8 couples English and 8½ couples crossbred. Kennels at Gahanna. Fox hunting: August 15 to March 1, two days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by introduction. Hotel accommodations at Columbus, 7 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented, call secretary. Hunter Trials in October. Hounds went out 80 times last season. Country is approximately 8 by 16 miles. Mostly flat, with rough places adjacent to numerous creeks. Worm fences and wire paned with post-and-rail.

ROLLING HILLS HUNT

Palos Verdes Estates,
California.
Established 1937.



Private pack, supported by subscriptions and caps. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, blue collar; evening—same. Joint Masters: (1937) J. A. Gough and (1938) Aidan Roark. Honorary Joint Secretaries: Mrs. P. French and W. T. Mulcahy, Jr. Huntsman: The Masters hunt the hounds. Kennel Huntsman: L. Phillips. Whippers-In: (Honorary) 1st—Mrs. V. McLaglen; (professional) W. Haslam. Kennels at Palos Verdes Estates. Foxhounds: 13 couples English. Drag and Jack Rabbit hunting: Two days a week. Drag Season—November to March. Jack Rabbit—May to August. Visitors permitted to hunt by invitation. Accommodations at Redondo and San Pedro, both about 12 miles from the kennels. Hunters can be rented from the Rolling Hills Stables. It is expected to hold Horse Show, Hunter Trials. Hounds went out 40 times last season.

The country hunted is 12,000 acres of rolling country with a variety of artificial fences and some natural ditches.

ROLLING ROCK HUNT

Ligonier,
Pennsylvania.
Established 1921.
Recognized 1922.



Private pack, supported by Hunt subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, with blue collar; evening—scarlet, with blue facings. Master: (1921) Richard K. Mellon. Honorary Secretary: Herbert A. May. Huntsman: (professional) Fred Hedges. Whippers-In: (professional) 1st, Nat Brown; 2nd, Edmund Ladue. Foxhounds: 42½ couples English. Kennels at Rolling Rock Club, Ligonier. Fox hunting: (Cubbing during September) October 1st until February; three days a week. All holidays. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation and \$10 cap. Accommodations at Rolling Rock clubhouse 1 mile from kennels; also hotels in Ligonier. Hunters can be rented from Hunt stable, near club and other riding schools near town. Two Horse Shows are held near our country (Allegheny Country Club Horse Show at Sewickley and Westmoreland Hunt Horse Show at Greensburg). Rolling Rock Hunter Trials in September, and Race Meeting in October. Hounds went out 55 times last season.

The country is approximately 12 by 16 miles. A rolling country, with post-and-rail fences. It has more flat country than any in western Pennsylvania, and is filled with native foxes. 2,500 acres added for this coming season, 87 new fences. Total fences about 1,400.

ROMBOUT RIDING AND HUNT CLUB

Poughkeepsie,
New York.
Established 1925, 1929.
Recognized 1931.



Club, supported by dues and hunting subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, French-blue collar, green piping; evening—scarlet, cutaway yellow vest, blue lapels. Joint Masters: (1929) Homer B. Gray and (1938) M. G. Folger. Honorary Secretary: George D. Campbell. Huntsman: The Master. Kennel master: (professional) William Lucas. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Wm E. Schermerhorn, F. Grosvenor Jacobs, M. R. Grahame, and John M. Melville. Foxhounds: 32 couples American and crossbred. Kennels 3 miles east of Poughkeepsie at Greenvale Farm on Wappingers Creek. Fox hunting: Three days a week, from August until the ground freezes, and then occasionally, if weather permits, until March 15. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt; must be introduced by a member. Accommodations at Vassar Inn, ½ mile from kennels, or at Mrs. Forster's, ½ mile. Hunters can be rented from Edward Gray or O. B. Hill, \$10 a day. Horse Show in May; Hunter Trials in October. Hounds went out 108 times last season.

Country is about 15 by 20 miles. Southeast country, much cover, some hills; northeast country, rolling, with small covers. Post-and-rail jumps, chicken coops, stone walls, many natural fences.

ROSE TREE FOX HUNTING CLUB

Media,
Pennsylvania.
Established 1895.
Recognized 1904.



Club, supported by dues. Hunt livery and colors. Scarlet, dark-brown collar, with yellow piping; evening—scarlet, brown collar, buff facings. Master: (1938) James R. Kerr, Jr. Honorary Secretary: J. Gordon Fetterman. Huntsman: (professional) Edward Quigley. Whippers-In: (Honorary) S. Stockton White.

IV. (professional) Albert Crosson. Foxhounds: 40 couples American. Kennels at Media. Fox hunting: September 1 to March 17, four days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt; charge fixed by Hunt Committee. Hotel accommodations at Philadelphia, 12 miles from kennels. Race Meeting at Media, May and October. Hounds went out about 128 times last season.

It is a rolling country, approximately 10 by 20 miles; fences are post-and-rail and stone walls, principally.

SANDY RUN HUNT

Pinehurst,
North Carolina.
Established 1929.
Recognized 1934.



Private pack, supported by Master. Contributions to panel fund are accepted. Hunt livery and colors: Green, sulphur-yellow collar with scarlet piping; evening—same. Master: (1929) Verner Z. Reed, Jr. Huntsman: The Master. Whippers-In: (Honorary) D. K. Kerr. Foxhounds: American. Kennels at Sandy Woods Farm, 4 miles southwest of Pinehurst. Hunt and drag hunting: Hare two days a week, drag one day only. November 15 to March 1. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by arrangement with the Master. Accommodation at Pinehurst hotels, 4 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from Thomas & Alexander, Pinehurst Livery Stables; W. A. Laing, Southern Pines; \$10 a day.

Country is about 15 by 8 miles. Mostly woodland, some farming country, and some abandoned farms. A number of creeks, some of which are swampy. Post-and-rail and plank fences; a few wire fences, nearly all panelled.

* No changes reported since 1938.

SEDFIELD HUNT

High Point,
North Carolina.
Established 1927.

Club, supported by dues. Hunt livery and colors: Iron grey coats, burnt orange collar and vest. Joint Masters: (1938) Earl Phillips and (1939) Frank E. Curran. Honorary Secretary: Nathan Ayres. Huntsman: (professional) Bill Bixton and Gaither Welker. Foxhounds: 15 couples American, Cross-bred and Walkers. Kennels at Greensboro. R. F. D. 1. Fox and Drag hunting: October 15th to March 15th; one day a week and bye-days. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt; cap \$3. Accommodation at Sedgefield Inn, 1 mile from the kennels. Hunters can be rented from the Sedgefield Stables at \$5 per week. Horse Show held second week in June, 1939. Hounds went out about 34 times last season.

Country is approximately 8 miles radius; rolling with post-and-rail and gate jumps.

SEWICKLEY HUNT

Sewickley,
Pennsylvania.
Established 1922.
Recognized 1924.



Club, supported by dues and hunt subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, pearl-gray collar; evening—scarlet, with blue facings. Master: (1934) W. C. Robinson, Jr. and (1939) Mrs. Snowdon Richards. Honorary Secretary: Charles A. Wood, Jr. Huntsman: (professional) Kenneth Smith. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Frank E. Richardson, Jr.; J. O. Flower. Foxhounds: 25 couples American. Kennels at Little Sewickley Creek, Sewickley. Drag hunting: Two days a week, and holidays, October 1 to January 1, and thereafter weather permitting. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt upon invitation by members, no cap. Accommodation at Elmhurst Inn, Sewickley, 2½ miles from kennels. A few hunters can be rented. Allegheny Country Club Horse Show, Sewickley, first week in June. Rolling Rock Race Meeting, Ligonier, first week in October. Hounds went out 31 times last season.

The country is approximately 12 by 18 miles, hilly and rolling in the neighborhood of Sewickley. Post-and-rail and worm fences, with chicken coops and panels in wire.

SHELBY HUNTING CLUB

Sherburne,
Vermont.
Established 1900.
Recognized 1907.



Private pack, owned by J. Watson Webb. Hunt livery and colors: Green, black collar; evening—scarlet, black collar, yellow facing. Joint Masters: (1900) J. Watson Webb, (1932) Dunbar W. Bostwick and (1937) Samuel B. Webb. Huntsman: (professional) Fred Ingleson. Whippers-In: (professional) Clayton Shortsleeves and William Maloney. Foxhounds: 25 couples English, with Welsh blood. Kennels at Sherburne. Fox hunting: August 1 to January 1, weather and ground permitting. Members of other Hunts or guests or friends of Masters always welcome. Hotel accommodation at Cleveland, 25 miles from kennels, or Kirtland Country Club, 3 miles from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Hounds went out about 39 times last season.

Country usually hunted approximately 10 miles square. Hilly, divided equally between woods and open fields. Fences principally post-and-rail.

SMITHTOWN HUNT

Syosset, Long Island, N. Y.
Established 1900.
Recognized 1907.



Club, supported by dues and subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, purple collar, canary-yellow waistcoat; evening—scarlet, purple collar and facings. Master: (1935) Randall E. Poindexter. Honorary Secretary: Ward Melville. Huntsman: The Master. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Raymond W. Bristol and Archibald T. Gardiner, Jr.; (professional) Gustave Mollet. Foxhounds: 10 couples crossbred and

Welsh. Kennels at Syosset. Fox and semi-weekly drag hunting: Two meets per week with occasional bye days, weather permitting, September to May. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt; cap \$8 a day. Hotel accommodation at Tree Village Inn, Stony Brook. Stables can be rented from Patrick McDermott, Brookville, George M. Hudson, Smithtown and Harold W. Plumb, East Norwich. Hounds went out 33 times last season.

The country hunted is rolling, with very large cover. What fences there are of timber, very little wire; soil rather sandy. Roughly, the country is about 12 by 30 miles.

Through reciprocal agreement with the Meadow Brook Hounds, the Smithtown Hunt hunts also the territory of their Hunt, the combined available area therefore comprising practically all of Long Island east from the New York city line to the Peconic Bay at Riverhead, being 60 miles in length and 15 miles in width.

SOLDIER CREEK HUNT

Fort Robinson,
Nebraska.
Established 1932.



Club, supported by the Officers' Club of Fort Robinson. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, black collar. Master: (1937) Maj. James M. Adamson. Honorary Secretary: Capt. Charles S. Greer. Huntsman: 1st Lieut. John G. Hornor, Jr. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Staff Sergeant Sidney R. Kelsey and Pvt. John C. Coates. Foxhounds: 4 couples English; 3 couples Welsh; 11 couples American-English cross. Kennels at Fort Robinson. Coyote (principally) and drag hunting: September 15th to April 15th. Two days a week, Strangers and visitors permitted to hunt by invitation of a member. Accommodations at Officers' Club, Fort Robinson and at Gate City Hotel, Crawford, about 4 miles from kennels. Hunter Trials and very informal shows are held in the spring and fall in connection with breeding classes. Hounds went out 51 times.

The country is approximately 60,000 acres from rolling to mountainous terrain. Well wooded in parts with pine, elm, cottonwood, etc. Three fourths of the country is panelled with post-and-rail from three and one half to four feet high.

* No changes reported since 1938.

SOUTHDOWN HUNT

Kirtland Hills Village,
Mentor,
Lake County,
Ohio.
Established 1923.



Private pack. Hunt livery and colors: Green canary-yellow collar; evening—green coat, canary-yellow collar. Joint Masters: (1923) Elton Hoyt, 2nd, and (1924) Ralph Perkins. Honorary Secretary: Elton Hoyt, 2nd. Huntsman: (professional) Edward Read. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Elton Hoyt, 3rd. Foxhounds: 18 couples American. Kennels at Southdown Farm, Mentor. Fox hunting: Two days a week, August 1 to January 1, weather and ground permitting. Members of other Hunts or guests or friends of Masters always welcome. Hotel accommodation at Cleveland, 25 miles from kennels, or Kirtland Country Club, 3 miles from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Hounds went out about 39 times last season.

Country usually hunted approximately 10 miles square. Hilly, divided equally between woods and open fields. Fences principally post-and-rail.

SPRING BROOK HUNT

Toledo,
Ohio.
Established 1926.
Recognized 1930.



Club pack, supported by Hunt subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet; evening—scarlet, chamois-yellow facings; ladies—chamois-yellow collar. Master: (1926) Frank D. Stranahan. Honorary Secretary: Capt. John L. B. Bentley. Huntsman: (professional) George Bass. Whippers-In: (professional) Harold Malanson. Foxhounds: 14½ couples black-and-tan Kerry beagles. Kennels at Carron Polo Club, Perryburg. Drag hunting: Two days a week from August 15 to close of season. Members may bring out visitors as their guests. Accommodations, Commodore Perry Hotel, Toledo, 5 miles from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Horse Show, two days in June.

Country is approximately 10 miles square; slightly rolling, with some woodland and a good many ditches. Jumps are mostly post-and-rail panels, two to five abreast, and some snake fences; also, brush fences and chicken coops.

SPRING VALLEY HOUNDS

New Vernon,
New Jersey.
Established 1915-1935.
Recognized 1928.



Supported by Hunt subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Green, claret collar, white breeches; evening—scarlet, green collar, claret facings. Master: (1938) J. Spencer Weed. Honorary Secretary: Dr. Frederick T. van Beuren, Jr. Huntsman: (professional) Frank Greswells. Whippers-In: (professional) 1st Frank Greswells, (2nd) H. Francis Greswells. Foxhounds: 22½ couples American. Kennels at New Vernon. Fox and drag hunting: From October to February, three days a week through November; two days a week to April. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt on invitation and \$7.50 cap. Accommodations, Morristown, 2½ miles from the kennels. Hunters can be rented from Sand Spring Stables, Morristown (when available) and from stables at Green Village. Regular Horse Show, held in September at New Vernon. Regular Hunter Trials held in October at Redgate, Morristown. Hounds went out 62 times last season.

Rolling country with pastures, plow, and woodlands. Mostly post-and-rail fences.

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MILLBROOK USES INTRICATE JUMPS

Coleman Donaldson's Gray Dawn Maneuvers Over Typical Hunting Country

Coleman Donaldson's Gray Dawn won his second Championship in as many years in the Millbrook Hunt's Annual Hunter Trials, held Thursday, Sept. 14th. Judges: Mrs. Dwight Partridge, M. F. H. and Joseph W. Dixon, selected **Gray Dawn** as the best in a field of sixteen in the 11th. Annual Millbrook Hunt First Flight Hunter Challenge Plate, and Mr.

Donaldson's good hunter won the trophy presented by Gordon Grand. **Gray Dawn** had previously won this trophy in 1936, in the name of John Donaldson.

Held in the Millbrook country, opposite Dr. A. B. Cannon's house, the first class at 10:00 A. M. brought out the Models and Schoonhoven Farm's Collapse took the blue. In the Working Hunters, for the Millbrook Hunt Working Hunter Trophy, presented by Mrs. Austin Flint, Mrs. S. Sloan Colt's McNeilla was the winner, closely pressed by Everett L. Crawford's Bright Susan and Gordon Mendelsohn's Farm River. Horses entered in this Class were not eligible for the Millbrook Hunt First Flight Hunter test. Mrs. Colt had two good hunters in **Gift Book** and **Kitron** who combined to take the Pairs, defeating Mr. Crawford's entry, that was second.

W. J. Knapp's Big Top took second in the Millbrook Hunt First Flight Class, and in consequence, The Reserve of the Trials. Conditions for this event are interesting, and are reprinted as follows:

CONDITIONS

For the horse best qualified; by manners, gait, way of going and form in jumping, to give a comfortable, safe, yet brilliant ride to Hounds, over a typical American fox hunting country of stone walls, open fields and rail fence trapping places and definitely able to step on over rough grass land. Contestants to demonstrate: 1. ability and willingness to jump, both slowly and when rated along; 2. handiness and manners (a) while rails are being dropped, (b) leading over, (c) while being mounted; 3. good mouth and true gait at a walk, trot, canter and hand gallop; 4. evidence of sufficient foot to gallop and stay with "First Flight" during a big run.

Conformation will be considered only as it tends to promote the horse's fitness for his task and the rider's enjoyment. As light and heavyweight horses each have their own uses, no particular credit will be given for size or weight carrying ability.

Jumping Requirements: Horses will be asked to jump two or more rail fences at a hunting pace; 2. jump a post and rail in and out; 3. jump two jumps with a short angle turn between; 4. to go up to a post and rail fence and without dismounting, the rider to slip off the top rail and pop over the remaining rails; 5. ride up to a post and rail fence about 3'-0" high, dismount, lead over and remount; it should be noted that the handiness of the

horse and not the agility of the rider will be considered); 6. horses to be shown at a walk, trot, canter, and hand gallop; 7. only two refusals will be allowed; each horse at any one jump and only three over the entire course.

Horses to be hunting sound and to have been hunted at least one season with the Millbrook Hounds.

It is intended that the winner shall represent the Judge's own choice of a horse on which to go hunting and for hunting only, and therefore the Judge will not of necessity select the horse giving the cleanest jumping performance or best demonstration of handiness. Judges will be asked to ride all horses selected to receive ribbons.

The Course at Millbrook was also of interest. The 1st. jump, a stone wall with a rider was taken at a trot and was 3'-6". The 2nd. was a stone wall and a rider just under 4'-0", taken at a canter. A long flat open space provided excellent opportunity to see the horses move at pace. At the end of this gallop was an upstanding panelled fence, two panels wide, the 3rd. This fence had to be taken in stride. On either side of the fence had been strung cotton to simulate bobbed wire. Jumping wire at any point in the course immediately disqualified.

The 4th, 5th, and 6th, jumps were a combined in and out. The first a broken down fence 3'-8", the second a good rail fence 3'-8", and the third a right angle over a wall and rail. One then had to gallop down to a large upstanding three panelled fence, the 7th., and here it was where the Committee's ingenuity came into play in that every panel was covered with wire until after the contestant had started, then one of the panels had the wire removed (a different one each time) and a rail in the adjoining panel was dropped. This made all horses jump a space that was higher than the fence next to it and forced each horse to jump where he was pointed. It speaks well for the hunters shown in that only one was disqualified for jumping wire.

The 8th.. required the letting down of a bar, backing the horse and popping over. The 9th., necessitated negotiating a 5'-0" drop and the 10th., and final fence you dismounted upon reaching the fence and led over and mounted again.

SUMMARIES

Model Hunters: First, Schoonhoven Farm's Collapse; 2nd, William J. Knapp's Big Top; 3rd, Gordon Mendelsohn's Corrigan; 4th, Alice J. Purring's Goshen.

Millbrook Hunt Working Hunter Trophy: First, Mrs. S. Sloan Colt's McNeilla; 2nd, E. L. Crawford's Bright Susan; 3rd, Gordon Mendelsohn's Farm River; 4th, A. Benson Cannon's Brazil.

Pairs of Hunters: First, Mrs. S. Sloan Colt's Gift Book and Kitron; 2nd, Everett L. Crawford's entry; 3rd, Gordon Mendelsohn's Farm River and Quaremore.

Farmer's Single Horse or Team: First, Simon Weintraub's entry; 2nd, Mrs. John S. Wine's entry; 3rd, Alice J. Ewing's entry; 4th, William J. Knapp's entry.

The Smithfield Plate, for thoroughbreds. First, Mrs. S. Sloan Colt's Kilcloudy; 2nd, Cinthia Cannon's Mickey Finn; 3rd, John W. Donaldson, Jr.'s Kwen Lun; 4th, Frederic H. Bontecou's Yoick.

The Woodsman Trophy, for halfbreds. First, Rose Lawn Stables' Delight; 2nd, Cinthia Cannon's Marv; 3rd, James Stewart's Free Time; 4th, Rose Lawn Stables' Little Joe.

The Millbrook Hunt First Flight Hunter Challenge Plate (Former winners: 1928, Dr. Austin Flint's Woodsman; 1929, his Woodsman; 1930, Mr. Everett Crawford's Joker; 1932, his Brandy; 1933, Millbrook Hunt's Gone Away; 1934, Mr. William Knapp's Corporal Casey; 1935, Mrs. Bernard Honner's My Wiv; 1926, Mr. John Donaldson's Gray Dawn; 1917, Mr. William Knapp's Lenister; 1938, Mr. Coleman Donaldson's Gray Dawn) First, Coleman Donaldson's Gray Dawn; 2nd, W. J. Knapp's Big Top; 3rd, Mrs. S. Sloan Colt's Gift Book; 4th, Mrs. John W. Hanes' Florida Bunting.

Hunt Teams: First, Frederic H. Bontecou's entry; 2nd, John W. Donaldson's entry; 3rd, Mrs. S. Sloan Colt's entry; 4th, Everett L. Crawford's entry.

Jumping Sweepstakes: First, Rose Lawn Farm's entry; 2nd, Rose Lawn Farm's entry; 3rd, Everett L. Crawford's entry.

Champion: Coleman Donaldson's Gray Dawn; **Judge:** Mrs. Dwight Partridge, M. F. H. and Joseph W. Dixon.

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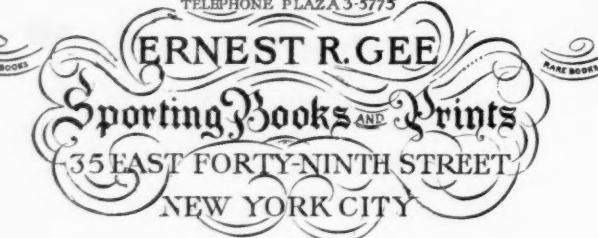
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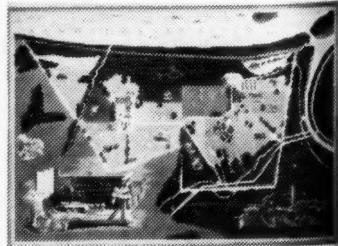
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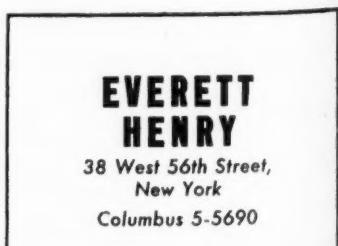
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**MR. STEWART'S
CHESHIRE
FOXHOUNDS**

Unionville,
Chester County,
Pennsylvania.
Established 1914.
Recognized 1914.

Private pack, owned by the Master. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet; evening—scarlet, scarlet facings with scarlet velvet collar. Master: (1914) W. Plunket Stewart. Huntsman: (professional) Charlie Smith. Whipper-In: (professional) Frank Taylor. Foxhounds: 50 couples homebred English. Kennels at Unionville. Fox hunting: (Cubbing September 1 to November 1) November 1 to April 1; four days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation. Accommodations, Mansions House at West Chester, 10 miles from kennels. Hunters cannot be rented. Race Meeting held at varying times. Hounds went out 105 times. A post-and-rail country approximately 17 by 22 miles; open galloping, small coverts.

**TORONTO AND
NORTH YORK HUNT**

Aurora,
Ontario,
Canada.
Established 1843.
Recognized in Canada

since inception.

Club, supported by subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, navy-blue collar, primrose-yellow waistcoat; evening—scarlet, navy-blue collar, white waistcoat, black satin breeches and black stockings, or black trousers. Joint Masters: (1935) A. Emilius Jarvis, (1939) Lady Eaton. Honorary Joint Secretaries of Hunt Committee: Malcolm D. Richardson and E. Jas. Bennett. Huntsman: (professional) William LeVett. Whippers-In: (professional) 1st Robert Hollingsworth and 2nd Martin Morris. Foxhounds: 30 couples English, bred in Canada, (also, 12 couples of beagles). Kennels at "Beverley Farms," Aurora. Fox and drag hunting: (Cubbing last week in August) September 1st to about December 30; one day a week drag, and one day a week fox. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, \$5 cap. Accommodations, Aurora. Hunters can be rented with difficulty, but possible on sufficient notice. Prince of Wales Cup Race annually in October, also Hunter Trials. Hounds went out 46 times last season.

Country is about 235,000 acres; cultivated rolling pasture land, chiefly grass or light stubble. Post-and-rail, snake, and root fences, with rail panels over wire. Several formidable streams.

**STONY BROOK HUNT**

Rosedale Road,
Princeton,
New Jersey.
Established 1922.
Recognized 1931.

Private pack supported by Hunt subscriptions and dues. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, jet, or orange collar; evening—scarlet, with orange facings. Master: (1939) Mrs. Joseph R. Clements. Honorary Secretary: DeWitt C. Poole. Huntsman: (professional) Thomas Spinelli. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Philip Worrell and Thomas S. Dignan. Foxhounds: 20 couples American. Kennels on Rosedale Road. Fox hunting: September to February, two days a week and holidays, occasional bye days. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt, by invitation. Accommodations, Princeton Inn, Princeton, 4 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from Mrs. Doris Kellogg, Cedar Grove Road; Stony Brook Riding Academy, Bayard Lane; and Claude Robeson, Bayard Lane. Hounds went out 34 times.

Country is approximately 18 by 25 miles; flat fairly open country interspersed with some woods. Jumps are post-and-rail, chicken coops, and board panels.

**SUFFIELD
HOUNDS**

Suffield,
Hartford County,
Connecticut.
Established 1938.

Supported by subscriptions and capping fees. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, black collar, white piping. Joint Masters: (1938) Stanley Clark and (1938) Orrin Kilbourn. Honorary Secretary: Ernest I. Kearns; Assistant—Miss Dolly Russell. Huntsman: (professional) Douglas Present. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Robert H. Alcorn (1st); (professional) Benjamin Birnie (2nd); Honorary substitute—Miss Anna Parkhurst. Foxhounds: 18 couples American. Kennels at Suffield. Drag hunting: From 1st of September and continuing as long as ground and snow conditions permit; two days a week and all holidays. Strangers or visitors are permitted to hunt by invitation of the Master and Honorary Secretary. Accommodations at Kimball Hotel, Springfield, Mass., 9 miles from the kennels. Hunters can be rented from Mrs. Elizabeth B. Wadsworth, Suffield, at \$5 per day. Hounds went out about 26 times last season.

Country is approximately 20 square miles; large open fields, some ditches. There is wire but is being gradually paneled with rails and chicken coops; plenty of open galloping.

**SUFFOLK HOUNDS**

Southampton,
Long Island,
New York.
Established 1908.
Recognized 1908.

Supported by subscriptions, \$50 per season. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, mauve collar; evening—scarlet, mauve collar, mauve satin facings. Master: (1908) Richard Newton, Jr. Honorary Secretary: Richard Newton, Jr. Huntsman: (professional) M. J. Aylward. Whippers-In: (professional) Thomas Murphy and Edward Simmons. Foxhounds: 12 couples English and crossbred. Kennels at Southampton. Drag hunting: Two days a week from July 1 to November 1. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt; \$5 cap. Accommodations at many hotels in Southampton and East Hampton. Hunters can be rented from the huntsman, \$15 a hunt. Horse Shows: Southampton Horse Show Association and East Hampton in August; Race Meeting in September. Hounds went out about 24 times last season.

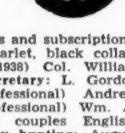
A flat fast country over grass, approximately 40 by 5 miles. Post-and-rail jumps.

**SUMMIT HUNT CLUB**

Macedonia,
Ohio.
Established 1926.
Recognized 1928.

Private, supported by dues and subscriptions. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, black collar; evening—same. Master: (1938) Col. William Fawcett Long. Honorary Secretary: L. Gordon Watson. Huntsman: (professional) Andrew Martin. Whippers-In: (professional) Wm. A. Hardisty. Foxhounds: 21 couples English. Kennels at Macedonia. Fox hunting: August 20 to January 1, two days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by communicating with the secretary; voluntary subscriptions. Hotel accommodations at Cleveland or Akron, both approximately 20 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented from Club stables. Horse Show in either August or September at Macedonia. Hounds went out 27 times.

Country is 15 by 18 miles, rolling, with much grazing and pasture land. Jumps partly post-and-rail, and partly old-fashioned snake fences, open-faced chicken coops, brush, logs and Aikens.

**TRYON HOUNDS**

Tryon,
North Carolina.
Established 1926.
Recognized 1935.

Club, supported by contributing members. Hunt livery and colors: Forest green, burnt-orange collar, and rust breeches; evening—no formal dress. Master: (1936) John R. Kimberly. Honorary Secretary: M. B. Flynn. Huntsman: (Honorary) Carter P. Brown. Whippers-In: (Honorary) Austin Brown and Mrs. David Hedekin. Foxhounds: 15 couples American. Kennels at Godshaw Hill. Fox and drag hunting: December 15 to April 20, three days a week. Visitors permitted to hunt, cap. Hotel accommodation at Oak Hall, Thousand Pines, Mimosa, and Pine Crest Inn; kennels adjacent. Hunters can be rented. Hound Show and Horse Show on second Wednesday of April each year. Hounds went out 72 times last season.

Rolling country, about 10 miles square; much woodland, with numerous "rides" through it; post-and-rail Aiken, chicken coops, ditches, and stone walls.

**VICMEAD HUNT**

Wilmington, R. F. D. 1,
Delaware.
Established 1921.
Recognized 1924.

Club, supported by dues. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, green collar; evening—scarlet, white facings, green collar. Master: (1930) J. Simpson Dean. Honorary Secretary: W. J. Kitchell. Huntsman: (professional) Charles Carver. Whippers-In: (professional) Fredus Vansant and Thomas Smith. Foxhounds: 45 couples American. Kennels on Owl's Nest Road, 6 miles west of Wilmington. Fox hunting: November 1 to March 15, three days a week. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt when accompanied by member; cap. Nearest accommodations, duPont Hotel, Wilmington, about 6 miles from club. Hunters cannot be rented.

Country is approximately 45 miles by 20 miles; large open fields, some rolling; good galloping; numerous small coverts; post-and-rail fences. Wire in part is paneled.

**WARRENTON HUNT**

Warrenton,
Virginia.
Established 1887.
Recognized 1894.

Subscription pack. Hunt livery and colors: Scarlet, white collar; evening—same. Master: (1932) Amory S. Carter. Honorary Secretary: Capt. Richard J. Kirkpatrick. Huntsman: (professional) R. Bywaters. Whippers-In: (Honorary) William D. Scott; (professional) (1st) S. Grimesby and (2nd) T. Conroy. Foxhounds: 42 couples American, 2 couples crossbred. Kennels near Warrenton. Fox hunting: November 1 to April 1, three days a week and occasional bye days. Strangers or visitors permitted to hunt by invitation, \$15 cap per day for three days, \$30 annual subscription. Accommodations at Warren Green Hotel, Warrenton, 6 miles from kennels. Hunters can be rented; apply to Honorary Secretary. Virginia Gold Cup Association Race Meeting in



May; Warrenton Horse Show in September. Point-to-Point Races in March. Hounds out 94 times.

Rolling grass country 24 by 10 miles. Stone walls, plank, and rail fences; wire paneled with chicken coops, post-and-rail.

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Across The Water

By W. Newbold Ely, Jr.
M. F. H.

One of the many tragic by-products of the war is in our September 8 issue of the English "Horse & Hound." Running usually from forty to sixty pages, it has dropped to twelve with no racing news because now there are no races, no horse show news because now there are no horse shows, no hunt meetings. A few paragraphs on the sport with otterhounds concludes this saddening issue with the advertisements on "Horse Gas Protectors," "Sam Brown Belts," "Map cases," "Air Raid precautions—Send your horses to a secluded spot in Devonshire," etc., etc.

But in no better way can calm temperament of the English be better illustrated than by the editorial in this selfsame issue.—

"THE DIE IS CAST"

"For some time it has been apparent to many of us that the foreign and economic policy of Germany would, unless moderated, result in another European War. Now that it has come it is difficult to realise the dark days that must lie ahead. In England the watchword is "business as usual." Except for the strained faces one sees in the streets, and the cardboard gas-mask containers hanging from every shoulder, there is surprisingly little evidence that hostilities exist. Yet poison gas is being dropped upon the civil population of Poland, and "somewhere in France" men are standing ready to face death in all the forms that modern ingen-

uity can provide. All this is due to the influence wielded by a comparatively small group of fanatical warmongers, whose policy of hate and rabid nationalism has reduced Europe to these straits. The temper of the English is vastly different from 1914, when war was still an adventure, and the long casualty lists were still a thing of the future. We are committed to a struggle for decency, justice, and right, well knowing the cost which must be paid to preserve our civilization. In our hearts there is no hate against the German people, the butchers, bakers, country squires, and artisans, who will be forced to give their lives in defense of the ideology that has brought them to war. And when we have prevailed, the settlement will be made with the knowledge and experience of the last twenty years. Whatever the next few months may bring, it is the traditional calmness and resources of this nation that will be the deciding factor."

Such are the qualities which we Anglo-Saxons inherit from these distant British Isles,—qualities which in turn we pray may keep our country calm, neutral 'midst the waves of propaganda and hysteria,—foreign and domestic, political and mercenary,—which are being directed at us just as they were in the last war.

Our British cousins would have been happy to have heard the toast at the delightful dinner given by Stanley Reeve, Plunket Stewart, Radcliffe Cheston, and Arthur Meigs to meet the Bryn Mawr judges. It was a toast to them—our beloved English friends and sportsmen—as fellow foxhunters, with a prayer that they might soon again be out of khaki and back in pink answering the "Gone Away" at the covert side, —somewhere in England.

The Side Saddle Seat

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most saddles sit on a horse with no friction of any sort. Even a horse whose back is not hardened and has hardly had a saddle on can be ridden without making a mark on his back—so with the difficulty of fitting saddles properly I feel no stable should be without one. I never will.

Wide girths are essential to get all the bearing one can and I find web girths excellent as they have more give than leather and can be more tightly girthed without discomfort to the horse.

It is very necessary to keep a side saddle in its proper place, always putting it on the horse according to where he carries it before girthing him up.

As to bridles, the one to use is the one the horse goes best in—of course the ordinary double bridle looks better and the snaffle bit horse is a rare animal, but perfect when one finds him.

Now last, but by no means least, one's appearance. We all know that all women try to look their best at all times. In this respect I think the side saddle is a decided improvement over the cross saddle. Is there a finer sight anywhere than the well turned out woman with a good seat, galloping across the country on a blood horse? The matter of clothes is a simple one for the side saddle rider, and she cannot go far wrong.

For hacking and cub hunting a neat tweed or whipcord habit with breeches to match, a shirt and tie, and soft felt hat for hacking, and a bowler for cub hunting, the latter being a bit warm on a sultry morning but much safer, and brown field boots. When that glorious time of year comes round and we are once more out with Hounds, nothing could look smarter than a well cut black, blue, or dark grey whipcord habit. I much prefer this material as it is soft and pliable and more becoming than the one stiff "melton" cloth, and quite as serviceable. A white or tan waistcoat, white stock, black boots, and leather breeches—these latter are a real comfort for softness and last a lifetime. As most modern saddles have a doeskin seat and pommels, it adds to the security of position in the saddle. A top hat or bowler are optional and equally smart, and a veil for tidiness. The hunt button looks very well if one is given it by the M. F. H. but for a lady must be black.

Being well turned out is not entirely a matter of personal vanity, but it adds greatly to the appearance of the Hunting Field and a courtesy to the Master.

Needless to say, one carries a crop with a thong—and knitted gloves under the flap of the saddle in case of rain. The sandwich box and flask, if one requires it, on the saddle. This, in England, is carried by the second horseman, so does not spoil the appearance or the neat look of the saddle.

Before I finish I must speak of my great admiration of many of the women and girls I see riding astride, and their fine horsemanship over a country. I can readily understand why they prefer it—no bother of fitting saddles to various horses with hardly anyone knowing how to do it—but one of the great advantages of the side saddle is that one can still ride and feel fairly secure, and look fairly neat, at 60!!

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Dr. Lewis M. Allen To Sell Horses At Clifton

Dr. Lewis M. Allen, of Clifton Farms, Berryville, has announced a sale of Hunters, Show Horses, and Suitable to become hunters and Steeplechasers for Thursday, Oct. 26th. The Sale will be held at public auction and details have been worked out by Louis McL. Merryman of the Herick-Merryman Sales Co., of Sparks, Maryland.

The names of Clifton Farms and Dr. Allen have been long linked with the top show horses and steeplechasers in the United States. Into the ring Dr. Allen has sent such Champion performers as **Red Tape**, **Clifton's Beau**, **Clifton's Lad** and numerous others. In the hunt-meeting game, Dr. Allen's successes have been just as significant. In **Ostend** and **Coq Bruyere**, both developed at Clifton Farms, the latter the son of the late **Coq Gaulois** who stood there, have been the Champion Timber horses of the last several years. Prior to these stars, **Captain Kettle** was sent fourth from the Shenandoah Valley nursery to Maryland Hunt Cup and other triumphs.

Many of the vendue are by **Coq Gaulois**, America's premiere hunter and 'chaser sire, while some are by the son of **Coq Gaulois**, now standing at Clifton Farms, **Coq d'Esprit**, of great bone and substance. The get of these two sires have been starting jumper performers.

Dr. Allen whose reputation in the Show and Steeplechase game is one that cannot be easily matched, said that he was unable to give the necessary time from his professional services to continuing his Show and Hunter stables on such a plane as the present. Although selling the best of his present string, he will continue to carry on his interests to some extent.

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MONTCLAIR CHAMPIONSHIP

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Blinker Boy won the Reserve.

The outside course was quite short but it was built up and down hill so it was trappy. The conformation hunter classes were dominated by Sundown Stables **Fitz Lee** a bay gelding, ridden by Miss Louise Finch. **Side Slip**, owned and ridden by Miss Charlotte Ives Montgomery, was a consistent second, and the Working Hunter classes were mostly taken by **Stepaside** owned and ridden by Miss Peggy Klipstein. **Side Slip**, is a good looking grey gelding a four year old and is definitely a coming prospect. The way he performed was phenomenal. The outside course was changed in the afternoon before the Brewster Cup, for Ladies Hunters. Several of the jumps were put on more level ground. **Fitz Lee** again won this class and the trophy was presented to Louise Finch by Miss Lois Brewster. **Fitz Lee** also won the Sinbad Memorial Trophy presented by Mrs. Harry Frank Jr. A successful show ended with the hunter championship won by **Fitz Lee** with 26 points, reserve going to **Flying Cloud**, owned and ridden by Miss Charlotte Montgomery to a nice win in the conformation Middle and Heavy-weights with 8 points.

Several new exhibitions were shown at the show and the two that seemed to attract the most interest were; the class for aged horses, ten years or over. No honest scars were

Audley Blood Stock To Draw Breeders October 27th

Both racing men and breeders will be attracted to the Audley Farm dispersal, to be held at the farm in Berryville, Virginia, on Friday, October 27. For the former will have opportunity to bid on 30 yearlings (none broken or tried) and 31 foals of 1939, while breeders will have a wide choice in the four stallions and 50 to 60 broodmares to be offered for what the traffic will bear.

Just one of the stallions to be sold is ***Quatre Bras II**, an 11 year old son of ***Teddy—Plucky Lige** and thus a full-brother to ***Sir Gallahad III** and **Bull Dog** and a half-brother to **Bois Roussel** and **Admiral Drake**. This offering is one of the most important to be made in recent years, for as both the sire and dam are now dead, the Audley stallion is the third and last full-brother to a horse now proclaimed to be one of the greatest ever imported to these shores, namely ***Sir Gallahad III**. But as ***Sir Gallahad III** is now 19 years old, it can only be a question of a few years when the breeders will look to the younger **Bull Dog** and ***Quatre Bras II** to carry on. ***Quatre Bras II** was foaled in 1928, a year after **Bull Dog**.

***Quatre Bras II** has all the qualifications which equip the successful stallion. In appearance he is a splendid individual, finely-muscled, well-proportioned and possessed of a sensible, intelligent head. As a racehorse he started four times in France at 2, winning the Prix Yacoulef. At 3 and 4 he was a winner in this country and at 5 was only once out of the money in 13 starts. At 6 he won the Fort Worth, Houston, St. Patrick's Day and W. T. Waggoner Handicaps and at 7 won the Englewood Handicap and Hotel Texas Handicap.

Racing until he was seven and yet not over-raced, ***Quatre Bras II** first crop of foals are racing this season and among them are the stake winner, **Robert E. Lee** (Princess Stakes in England) and **Quaroma**. His yearlings were the mediums of spirited bidding at Saratoga in August and this writer looks for his yearlings and foals of 1939 to be popular occupants of the salesring at Audley Farm on October 27.

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Jackson, who was in the cafe at the time of the hold-up and Mr. Tinsman of North Fork, at whose garage the bandits stopped before the robbery. All three definitely identified the prisoner as the gunman and he was brought back to Loudoun and lodged in the Leesburg jail. Giving the name of Watkins, the man said he is 19 years old, has a wife and child at Hopewell and denied the charges against him.

to count and the horses were to be judged on performance at a walk, trot, and canter and their condition. This class was won by Miss Jean Girdler's **Clearview Lee Flower**.

Another amazing feat was that of Mr. Will Schofield's horse **Sundance**. This was a dressage exhibition by what is known as the greatest high school horse in America.

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Marydel and Virginia types.

Brandywine's Flirter, a black and tan dog, full of quality, won the Unentered Dogs, and went on to win the Championship. In the Entered Dogs, Fairfield and Westchester's Flying Flash, a Walker dog by the famous Flying Heels, who if not for his short neck and head, would be almost unbeatable, took the blue.

In the American Hound Pack Class, Essex Hunt had an entry which took the event. It was a lovely gay pack marked like English Hounds, probably from their Trigg blood.

It was interesting, that in the eyes of Messers. Wooldridge and du Pont, Jr., entries from Orange County and Middleburg Hunts fresh from triumphs in the Montpelier Hounds Show, scarcely scored. John P. Bowditch, M. F. H. and Simpson Dean, M. F. H. both of Wilmington, had placed Orange County's Jocular and Jaunty, Grand Champion and Reserve at Montpelier. Likewise, Itsaboy, of Mr. Jefford's Hounds, but recently Champion from the Penn-Marydel Hound Show, so adjudged by Daniel C. Sands, M. F. H., failed to win a ribbon.

The English Foxhounds, the Cross-Bred Foxhounds and the Welsh Foxhounds were gathered for competition at Bryn Mawr on the second day, Thursday, Sept. 21.

Shelburne's Cattistock Alton, '37, a beautifully balanced light colored Hound, sent over last year to Mr. Watson Webb, M. F. H., by Mr. Henry Higginson, M. F. H. repeated again in winning The Championship of the English Division in the Bryn Mawr Hound Show, on Thursday, Sept. 21st. This unusual individual also took the Stallion Class.

The Champion Bitch was Mr. Stewart's Cheshire Gayete, '38, about as perfect an English bitch as one would ask to see, in a golden Belvoir tan, Judges Dean Bedford and Richard V. N. Gambrill hesitated but little in making this award.

The Fifth Masters of Foxhounds Challenge Cup, offered by the Masters of Foxhounds Association of America, for the best five couple of English Hounds, bred by the exhibitor, or his predecessor, the entry of the Shelburne Foxhounds scored, breaking Mr. W. Plunket Stewart's Cheshire Foxhounds' string of three wins in four previous years. It is a magnificent turn that this pack of dark colored home bred bitches full of quality, beautifully balanced with splendid necks, shoulders and beautiful hind quarters, and just the right amount of bone, won for their Shelburne Master, J. Watson Webb and Dunbar W. Bostwick.

The Welsh Foxhound Division was also held in conjunction with the English Foxhounds on Thursday. The big upstanding Welsh Hounds of Groton and Shelburne were absent this year and the competition was between the Whittemarsh Valley Hunt, Mr. Newbold Ely's Hounds and the Infantry School Hunt, in Georgia. Mr. Ely's Wheelwright, '39, won the Doghound Division and his imported Lord Davies' Gypsy, '34 took the Champion Bitch Cup, and Welsh Cup. Dr. Thomas Butler Synler did the Judging.

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teen and fifteen inch classes, Hounds from this famous pack won seven blues, four reds, and one third.

The Vernon-Somerset Beagles of Peapack, New Jersey, noted for their consistent quality in the field and on the bench, again showed their championship form at Bryn Mawr this year. Hounds from Richard V. N. Gambrill's fifteen inch pack received five blues, four reds and six thirds, winning more awards in one division (either 15 inch or 18 inch) than any other pack. Vernon-Somerset Marchioness, an unentered Hound by Trinity Foot Forrester-Milkmaid, showed great quality and substance for a youngster. After beating Whiteoaks Amazon to win the unentered class, she was awarded the ribbon for the Champion 15 inch Bitch.

After the Thirteen Inch Champion had been named, the couples of Thirteen Inch Dogs were judged. In this class Treweryn was victorious with Stormer and Striver, two showy looking, second season, lemon pie Hounds by Ch. Lippincott's Searcher-Pemberton Bracelet. The Treweryn couple beat Stockford's entry to win the blue ribbon.

When the winning Fifteen Inch Dog Hounds were brought into the ring, Louis Batjer's Meadow Lark Brevity was judged best and was awarded the Championship ribbon. Indeed the winners in the entered Dog Hounds proved the class of the division, for Sankanae Sagar, who placed second to Brevity in the entered class was awarded the Reserve.

Five packs of Beagles were shown in hunt livery on the polo field for the second Vernon-Somerset Challenge Cup for five Couple Packs; and once more a competition of long standing between the Whiteoaks Foot Beagles and the Vernon-Somerset Beagles, those two great New Jersey packs, was renewed. This year the Vernon-Somerset, a perfectly mannered, even looking lot, were declared the winners over the Whiteoaks, and the Buckram, making first appearance at Bryn Mawr showed a fine looking pack and well deserved the third award. Another newcomer to Bryn Mawr was John Cowperthwaite, master of the Readington Foot Beagles of Lamington, New Jersey. He showed a fine even five couples and the outfit looked very smart, turned out in Old Berkley with the green collar. The Treweryn Beagles, the only Thirteen inch Pack that took the field, were the winners of the Henry Kuhl Dillard, 3rd. Memorial Plate for the best Thirteen Inch Pack.

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PIPING ROCK SHOW

SUMMARIES

Wednesday, Sept. 27th

Qualified or Green. Amateurs up. First, Crispin Oglebay's ch. g. Holystone; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Untermyer's ch. g. Illuminator; 3rd, Deborah G. Rood's gr. g. Dublin Venture; 4th, Eleanor Pease's ch. g. Speedy.

Lightweight Green Hunters. First, Anne Miller's ch. g. Orphan Boy; 2nd, Deborah G. Rood's ch. g. Saldan; 3rd, Patricia Bolling's b. m. Velveteen; 4th, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Franklin's br. m. Betoken.

Middleweight Green Hunters. First, Mrs. James H. Van Allen's br. g. Rosewood; 2nd, May Top Stable's ch. g. Jambol; 3rd, Frank V. Kelly's gr. g. Lucky Ka-Lee; 4th, Morton Govern's b. m. Morganatic.

Middleweight Green Hunters. Second Division, Promoted Lightweights. First, Mrs. S. C. Register's ch. g. Big Severn; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. A. Untermyer's ch. g. Illuminator; 3rd, Deborah G. Rood's ch. g. Rollight; 4th, Mrs. Edward Lasker's br. g. McCoy.

Heavyweight Green. First, Mrs. Arthur L. Faubel's ch. g. The Gambler; 2nd, Geraldine Babcock's br. g. Blandford; 3rd, Morton W. Smith's ch. g. On Guard; 4th, Hugh Gormley's ch. g. Bard of Armagh.

Bridle Path Hacks. Lightweight. First, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Chas. B. Lyman's b. m. Maui Girl; 2nd, Hope Dillon's bl. m. Lady Windermere; 3rd, Mrs. Gerard S. Smith's b. m. Honey Blossom; 4th, Mrs. Edw. A. Robertson's gr. g. Red Cap.

Frederick P. Moore Memorial, Working Hunters, not thoroughbreds. First, Deborah G. Rood's gr. g. Dublin Venture; 2nd, Crispin Oglebay's ch. g. Question; 3rd, Harvey D. Gibson's b. g. Locket; 4th, his ch. g. Magistrate.

\$1,500 Invitation Open Jumping Tournament. First, Mr. and Mrs. C. Register's ch. g. Question; 2nd, Crispin Oglebay's ch. g. Rollight; 3rd, Mrs. Edward Lasker's br. g. Dan Dart.

Bareback Jumping. First, William H. Kay Jr.'s ch. g. Gold Trouble; 2nd, Harvey D. Gibson's gr. g. Hats Off; 3rd, William G. Loefler's b. m. Bowling Green; 4th, Crittenden H. Adams' gr. g. Middleton.

Registered Thoroughbred Mares. First, Muriel Cleland's bl. m. Frock; 2nd, Mrs. Dee F. Bredin's ch. m. Well-to-Do; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Untermyer's b. m. Wizardness.

Mares other than Thoroughbreds. First, Glendhu Farm's ch. m. Glendhu; 2nd, Boghead Stables' bl. m. Donore; 3rd, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Chas. B. Lyman's b. m. Maui Girl; 4th, Adrian Cravath Larkin's b. m. Gar Ann.

Yearlings. Suitable. First, Stephen E. Budd's ch. gr. Espinda; by Espino—Golden Reed; 2nd, Mrs. Dee F. Bredin's Belle Gallant, by Gallant Prince—Firmament; 3rd, Mrs. S. C. Register's br. c. Helicopter; by Traumer; 4th, Betty J. West's br. c. by Mr. Khayam—Cora Picina.

Ladies' Hunters. First, Deborah G. Rood's ch. g. Vassar Star; 2nd, Harvey D. Gibson's gr. g. Greystone; 3rd, Mrs. N. K. Toerge's b. g. Camp; 4th, Harvey D. Gibson's b. g. Little River.

Model Hunters (non thoroughbred). First, Mrs. E. Gardner Prime's ch. g. Ballela; 2nd, Harvey D. Gibson's b. g. Income Tax; 3rd, Mrs. James H. Van Allen's br. g. Rosewood; 4th, Deborah G. Rood's gr. g. Dublin Venture.

Maiden Jumpers. First, May Top Stable's ch. g. Daftuse; 2nd, Jos. Brennan's b. g. Bailey Bay; 4th, Susan and Janey Briggs' bl. m. Mariana.

Heavyweight Qualified or Green Hunters. First, Deborah G. Rood's gr. g. Dublin Venture; 2nd, Mrs. E. Gardner Prime's ch. g. Ballela; 3rd, Morton W. Smith's ch. g. On Guard; 4th, Robert G. Olmsted's b. g. Mikado.

Lightweight Qualified or Green Hunters. First, Eleanor Pease's ch. g. Speedy; 2nd, Crispin Oglebay's ch. g. Holystone; 3rd, Anne Miller's ch. g. Orphan Boy; 4th, Harvey D. Gibson's b. g. Little River.

Local Jumpers. First, John M. Powers' b. g. Paddy; 2nd, Frank T. Powers' ch. g. Kinney; 3rd, Harvey D. Gibson's gr. g. Hats Off; 4th, Adrian C. Larkin's b. m. Gar Ann.

Hunters (Ridden by Amateurs, for Frank Melville, Jr. Memorial Challenge Trophy). 1st, Mrs. N. K. Toerge's b. g. Camp; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Untermyer's ch. g. Illuminator; 3rd, Adrian C. Larkin's ch. g. Charming Laddie; 4th, Crispin Oglebay's ch. g. Holystone.

Horses Under 5 Years, Suitable. First, Deborah G. Rood's ch. g. Dublin Venture; 2nd, Mrs. Edward Lasker's b. g. Court Ways; 3rd, Mrs. Dee F. Bredin's ch. m. Well-to-Do; 4th, Patricia Bolling's b. m. Velveteen.

\$1,000 Jumper Sweepstakes. First, Suntaugh Stable's b. m. Marlene; 2nd, Hi-Rock Farm's ch. g. Hi-Rock Poppin'; 3rd, May Top Stable's ch. g. Bartender; 4th, Crittenden H. Adams' gr. g. Middleton; 5th, Mrs. Edward Lasker's ch. g. Modernistic; 6th, Mrs. Gordon Wright's ch. g. Thunderboy.

Green or Qualified Hunters, non-winners of ribbons. First, May Top Stable's ch. g. Jambol; 2nd, Deborah G. Rood's ch. g. Dan Dart; 3rd, John M. Schiff's b. g. Impetus; 4th, John MacNeil's ch. g. Free Ride II.

Thoroughbred Hunters, all weights. First, Crispin Oglebay's ch. g. Holystone; 2nd, Sunwood Farm's b. g. Bond Street; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Untermyer's ch. g. Illuminator; 4th, Mrs. Edward Lasker's br. g. McCoy.

Handy Hunters. First, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Untermyer's bl. g. Cinelli; 2nd, Fred E. Wetach, Jr.'s gr. m. Plymouth Rock; 3rd, Sunwood Farm's b. g. Bond Street; 4th, May Top Stable's ch. g. Lord Britain.

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Riding and Driving Competition, for Hunter Haze. First, Betty J. West's br. m. Manha; 2nd, Frank V. Kelly's gr. g. Lucky Ka-Lee; 3rd, Mrs. E. A. Robertson's gr. g. Red Cap.

Pairs of Hunters. First, Frank V. Kelly's Lucky Ka-Lee and Mrs. E. A. Robertson's Red Cap; 2nd, May Top Stable's Lord Britain and On Guard; 3rd, Robert G. Olmsted's Mikado; and Mrs. N. K. Toerge's Camp; 4th, Harvey D. Gibson's Magistrate and Henry T. Peter's Lark.

Hunters, for Dickson Memorial Challenge Trophy. First, Crispin Oglebay's ch. g. Holystone; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Untermyer's ch. g. Illuminator; 3rd, Deborah G. Rood's ch. g. Dublin Venture; 4th, Eleanor Pease's ch. g. Speedy.

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Middleweight Green Hunters, second division. First, Mrs. S. C. Register's ch. g. Big Severn; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Untermyer's ch. g. Illuminator; 3rd, Deborah G. Rood's ch. g. Rollight; 4th, Harvey D. Gibson's ch. g. Magistrate.

Working Hunters for Frederic P. Moore Memorial Trophy. First, Deborah G. Rood's gr. g. Dublin Venture; 2nd, Crispin Oglebay's ch. g. Question; 3rd, Harvey D. Gibson's b. g. Locket; 4th, Harvey D. Gibson's ch. g. Magistrate.

\$1,500 Invitation Open Jumping Tournament. First, Crittenden H. Adams' gr. g. Middleton; 2nd, James W. Maloney's b. m. Cherokee; 3rd, Fred E. Wetach, Jr.'s gr. m. Plymouth Rock; 4th, May Top Stable's ch. g. Jambol.

Judges: Mrs. F. Ambrose Clark, Henry V. Colt, Colonel Sloan Doak, J. North Fletcher, George M. Humphrey, Sterling Larabee and Elliott S. Nichols.

Jumper Scorers: Harry T. Peters, M. F. H. Gerard S. Smith and S. Bryce Wing.

Friday, Sept. 29th

Middleweight Qualified or Green. First, Sunwood Farm's b. g. Bond Street; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Untermyer's ch. g. Illuminator; 3rd, Deborah G. Rood's ch. g. Dan Dart.

Bareback Jumping. First, William H. Kay Jr.'s ch. g. Gold Trouble; 2nd, Harvey D. Gibson's gr. g. Hats Off; 3rd, William G. Loefler's b. m. Bowling Green; 4th, Crittenden H. Adams' gr. g. Middleton.

Lead Line Ponies, children under 12. First, Mrs. James H. Van Allen's gr. m. Sassy Susie; 2nd, Cora Cavanagh's blk. gr. Star; 3rd, Cynthia Bullock's ch. g. Digit; 4th, Charles B. Hickox's gr. g. Silver Shilling.

Hunters, children under 17, of Nassau and Suffolk Counties. First, Adrian C. Larkin's b. m. Gar Ann; 2nd, Peggy Talbot's wh. g. The Phantom; 3rd, Jack Spratt's ch. g. Adversary; 4th, Nancy Redmond's br. g. Spider.

Lead Line Ponies, children under 9. First, Cynthia Bullock's ch. g. Digit; 2nd, Mrs. James H. Van Allen's gr. m. Freckles; 3rd, Charles B. Hickox's gr. g. Silver Shilling; 4th, Sarane Hickox's gr. m. Grey Lady.

Walter Jennings Memorial Trophy. First, Harvey D. Gibson's b. g. Locket; 2nd, Mrs. Dee F. Bredin's br. m. Lady Norah II; 3rd, Harvard D. Gibson's ch. g. Magistrate; 4th, Harvey D. Gibson's b. g. Brian Boro.

Lead Line Ponies, children under 7. First, Jackson B. Ballela's ch. m. Terry Bell; 2nd, Cynthia Bullock's ch. g. Digit; 3rd, Mrs. James H. Van Allen's gr. m. Sassy Susie; 4th, Wyllie Bettie's blk. m. Black Miss.

Family Class. First, Babcock family; 2nd, Van Allen family; 3rd, Talbot family; 4th, Hickox family.

High Score Military Jumping Competition. First, West Point Horse Show Team No. 1; 2nd, West Point Horse Show Team No. 2; 3rd, 61st Cavalry Division No. 1 team; 4th, 61st Cavalry Division No. 2 team.

Will Rogers Cup, (Polo Pony Race). First, Winston Guest's br. m. Cobra; 2nd, Robert L. Gerry, Jr.'s br. m. Blue Bottle; 3rd, J. H. Whitney's br. g. Estrella.

\$500 Invitation Hunter Stake. First, Mrs. N. K. Toerge's b. g. Camp; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Untermyer's ch. g. Illuminator; 3rd, Adrian Cravath Larkin's b. m. Gar Ann.

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Two-Year-Olds, Suitable. First, Adrian C. Larkin's b. g. Endeavor; 2nd, Muriel Cleland's gr. gr. Gala Gown, by Tournament II—Frock; 3rd, E. N. Townsend's ch. b. g. Penguin Prince, by Prince of Wales; 4th, Boghead Stable's b. g. Tattnale.

Three-Year-Olds, Suitable. First, Mrs. Edward Lasker's b. g. Court Ways; 2nd, Mrs. S. C. Register's ch. g. Dun Pickin'; 3rd, Patricia Bolling's b. m. Velveteen, by Display—Peache; 4th, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Untermyer's b. g. Pharaoh.

\$1,500 Invitation Open Jumping Tournament, Military and Civilian. First, Lt. John K. Waters' b. m. Bayflight; 2nd, New York City Police Dept.'s b. g. Speedy; 3rd, Lt. John W. Morris' b. g. Dan; 4th, Capt. Frank DeK. Huynh's br. g. Charlatan.

Stallions. First, W. D. Cleland's b. h. "Golden Volt" by Volta—"Golden Isle"; 2nd, Sidney H. Schaefer's gr. gr. "Bimbo III," 16 1/2"; 3rd, Biribil (Rebelais)—Beatrix, by Swynford.

Brood Mares with foal at foot. First, Stephen E. Budd's ch. m. Golden Reed; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Untermyer's b. m. Wizardness; 3rd, Muriel Cleland's bl. m. Frock; 4th, Boghead Stable's bl. m. Donore.

Foals. First, Stephen E. Budd's ch. f. by Espino—Golden Reed, by Poldor; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Untermyer's b. f.; 3rd, Boghead Stable's br. m. 4th, Muriel Cleland's gr. f. Tournament II—Frock.

The Sturgis Cup, best yearling or two-year-old sired by a Jockey Club Breeding Bureau or Remount. First, Peggy Talbot's b. c. The Hopper; 2nd, Mrs. Dee F. Bredin's b. m. Belle Gallant, by Gallant Prince; 3rd, Squadron "C" Farm, Inc.'s ch. f. Revelate, by Curate-Revel; 4th, their b. c. Persuasion, by Curate-Joan R.

The Sturgis Cup, best three-year-old and up, sired by Jockey Club Breeding Bureau or Remount. First, Mrs. N. K. Toerge's Camp; 2nd, Gerard S. Smith's ch. g. Sun Faun, by Sun Charmer; 3rd, Mrs. S. C. Register's ch. g. Big Severn; 4th, Charles A. Moore III's ch. g. Lebynn.

The Meadow Brook Masters' Trophy, for regular and qualified. First, Harvey D. Gibson's b. g. Hi-Rock Poppin'; 2nd, May Top Stable's ch. g. Bartender; 4th, Crittenden H. Adams' gr. g. Middleton; 5th, Mrs. Edward Lasker's ch. g. Modernistic; 6th, Mrs. Gordon Wright's ch. g. Thunderboy.

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Ladies' Hunters, under side saddle. For Henry G. Vaughan Memorial Trophy. First, Mrs. Harvey D. Gibson's b. g. Little River; 2nd, Mrs. James H. Van Allen's gr. m. Lenore; 3rd, Deborah G. Rood's ch. g. Dormir; 4th, Mrs. Guy Cary's b. g. Glandore.

Riding and Driving Competition, for Hunter Haze. First, Betty J. West's br. m. Manha; 2nd, Frank V. Kelly's gr. g. Lucky Ka-Lee; 3rd, Mrs. E. A. Robertson's gr. g. Red Cap.

Pairs of Hunters. First, Frank V. Kelly's Lucky Ka-Lee and Mrs. E. A. Robertson's Red Cap; 2nd, May Top Stable's Lord Britain and On Guard; 3rd, Robert G. Olmsted's Mikado; and Mrs. N. K. Toerge's Camp; 4th, Harvey D. Gibson's Magistrate and Henry T. Peter's Lark.

Hunters, for Dickson Memorial Challenge Trophy. First, Crispin Oglebay's ch. g. Holystone; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Untermyer's ch. g. Illuminator; 3rd, Deborah G. Rood's ch. g. Dublin Venture; 4th, Eleanor Pease's ch. g. Speedy.

Lightweight Green Hunters. First, Anne Miller's ch. g. Orphan Boy; 2nd, Deborah G. Rood's ch. g. Saldan; 3rd, Patricia Bolling's b. m. Velveteen; 4th, Mrs. John M. Franklin's br. m. Betoken.

Middleweight Green Hunters. First, Mrs. James H. Van Allen's br. g. Rosewood; 2nd, May Top Stable's ch. g. Jambol; 3rd, Frank V. Kelly's gr. g. Lucky Ka-Lee; 4th, Morton Govern's b. m. Morganatic.

Heavyweight Green Hunters. First, Mrs. Arthur L. Faubel's ch. g. The Gambler; 2nd, Geraldine Babcock's br. g. Blandford; 3rd, Morton W. Smith's ch. g. On Guard; 4th, Hugh Gormley's ch. g. Bard of Armagh.

Lightweight Bridle Path Hacks. First, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Charles B. Lyman's b. m. Maui Girl; 2nd, Hope Dillon's bl. m. Lady Windermere; 3rd, Gerard B. Smith's b. m. Honey Blossom; 4th, Mrs. Edward A. Robertson's b. m. Red Cap.

Children's Jumping. First, Mary Poll's Ambulance; 2nd, Polly Talbot's d. g. Putty; 3rd, Mary B. Fox's Whichwick; 4th, Francis Cravath's br. g. Peter.

Saturday, Sept. 30th.

Ponies and Hacks, under saddle, exceeding 14.2, children under 16. First, Alice W. Babcock's ch. m. Shirley; 2nd, Morton Govern's br. m. Serene; 3rd, Lucetta Crisp's br. g. Datura; 4th, Elaine Wein's ch. g. Sir Lanceolat.

Ponies and Hacks, under saddle, 13 hands, not exceeding 14.2, children under 18. First,

Patricia Downes' b. m. Sunny South; 2nd, Jack Spratt's gr. m. Miss Step; 3rd, Mrs. Thomas Hitchcock's ch. g. Sky Lark; 4th, Mrs. James H. Van Allen's gr. m. Freckles.

Shetland Ponies, children under 12. First, Mrs. James H. Van Allen's gr. m. Sassy Susie; 2nd, Cora Cavanagh's blk. gr. Star; 3rd, Cynthia Bullock's ch. g. Digit; 4th, Charles B. Hickox's gr. g. Silver Shilling.

Hunters, children under 17, of Nassau and Suffolk Counties. First, Adrian C. Larkin's b. m. Gar Ann; 2nd, Peggy Talbot's wh. g. The Phantom; 3rd, Jack Spratt's ch. g. Adversary; 4th, Nancy Redmond's br. g. Spider.

Lead Line Ponies, children under 9. First, Cynthia Bullock's ch. g. Digit; 2nd, Mrs. James H. Van Allen's gr. m. Freckles; 3rd, Charles B. Hickox's gr. g. Silver Shilling; 4th, Sarane Hickox's gr. m. Grey Lady.

Walter Jennings Memorial Trophy. First, Harvey D. Gibson's b. g. Locket; 2nd, Mrs. Dee F. Bredin's br. m. Lady Norah II; 3rd, Harvard D. Gibson's ch. g. Magistrate; 4th, Harvey D. Gibson's b. g. Brian Boro.

Lead Line Ponies, children under 7. First, Jackson B. Ballela's ch. m. Terry Bell; 2nd, Cynthia Bullock's ch. g. Digit; 3rd, Mrs. James H. Van Allen's gr. m. Sassy Susie; 4th, Wyllie Bettie's blk. m. Black Miss.

Family Class. First, Babcock family; 2nd, Van Allen family; 3rd, Talbot family; 4th, Hickox family.

High Score Military Jumping Competition. First, West Point Horse Show Team No. 1; 2nd, West Point Horse Show Team No. 2; 3rd, 61st Cavalry Division No. 1 team; 4th, 61st Cavalry Division No. 2 team.

Will Rogers Cup, (Polo Pony Race). First, Winston Guest's br. m. Cobra; 2nd, Robert L. Gerry, Jr.'s br. m. Blue Bottle; 3rd, J. H. Whitneym's br. g. Estrella.

\$500 Invitation Hunter Stake. First, Mrs. N. K. Toerge's b. g. Camp; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Untermyer's ch. g. Illuminator; 3rd, Adrian Cravath Larkin's b. m. Gar Ann.

High Score Military Pair Jumping. First, West Point Horse Show Team No. 1; 2nd, West Point Horse Show Team No. 2; 3rd, 61st Cavalry Division No. 1 team; 4th, 61st Cavalry Division No. 2 team.

Open Hunt Teams. First, Crispin Oglebay's ch.

SEAFARIN DAN

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No time was taken but **Seafarin Dan** who had made the pace the whole way must have turned in a very handy clocking. Back of Capt. Johnston's pride, "Dan" as he is fondly known at Captain Johnston's Clay Hill Farm came a real struggle for the place and show awards in this Meadow Brook, the 41st., Renewal of the famed Long Island timber test, held on the estate of F. Ambrose Clark, Esq., in Westbury. **Deflation** and **Terry's Winner** had been closest until **Escape III**, 1937 winner, owned by Richard K. Mellon and ridden by Mr. Sidney Watters, Jr., commenced his move. Running nearly last, with 3-4's of a mile to the finish, **Escape III**, son of **Touch and Go**—Quaker's Cottage might have made a better bid, had he not bobbed twice in two telling mistakes near the end. In each he lost much ground, yet still he was able to get up for the place under a drive, though a full seven lengths back of the winner. (**Seafarin Dan's** first outing this year was his last win, when he triumphed in the Yadkin at Sandhills, in North Carolina.)

First run in 1883 the Meadow Brook is the oldest timber race in this country, and has retained much of its original backwoods atmosphere, a "Now you see them and now you don't" course from which automobiles are barred. The original field was to have been eight but John Strawbridge's **Coq Bruyere**, last year's winner, pulled up lame after winning the Pennsylvania Cup and Mrs. Frank M. Gould's **Black Sweep** had brushed an ankle in training, not seriously but sufficiently to keep him out of this race.

For this Amateur event, **Escape III**, a former winner was installed an even money favorite and looked every inch of it, with the good rider Mr. Watters to give added confidence.

Henry B. was a bit anxious at the post but Starter Robert B. Young turned them loose on the second attempt and although **Terry's Winner** had a slight advantage he was caught at the first fence by **Seafarin Dan** who went right out to make the pace. On the turn behind the hill it was **Seafarin Dan**, by a length and a half. **Terry's Winner** and **Deflation**; **Escape III** had moved up to fourth followed by **Bunree Bay** and **Henry B.**, all pretty well bunched. Then coming up the back stretch Mr. Reid took **Deflation** back and Mr. Cleland moved up with **Bunree Bay**. Still led by **Seafarin Dan** they were all well up except for **Henry B.** who, tiring at the pace, was falling back. A game horse, and a fast one too, but outclassed in this company, he finally made a bad mistake and fell.

Coming out of the hollow the second time around the boys "turned on" and rails began to rattle. **Seafarin Dan** still maintained a slight advantage but **Deflation** was driving at him and Mr. Frost was trying all he knew how to find a place along with them for **Terry's Winner**, who wasn't jumping very well, and making things a pretty tight fit for all concerned. **Escape III** lost a lot of ground at almost every fence. On the flat he would come to the leaders but would lose his place each time as the others jumped past him. Coasting down hill around the turn into the stretch **Seafarin Dan** opened up a big lead and the battle for second place began to tell on **Deflation** and **Terry's Winner**. **Escape III** passed them and set out on a stern chase of the lead-

COLUMBUS WINNER

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when "the show went on" in the Fort Myer indoor arena.

Outstanding moments in the first day's card at Chevy Chase included Springsberry Farm's **Victorian II**, diminutive little chestnut gelding pony, scoring in the Junior Working Hunters against full size horses, with the 9 year old Jack Lee Payne up. **Victorian II** of only 11-2 hands and the same age as his rider, jumped 3'-6" in fine form to turn back a good field of children's Hunters, after winning the Jumping Ponies event and placing second in 14-2 and under ponies Under Saddle. The combination of young Payne and **Victorian II** won the hearts of the spectators. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Perry's **Demopolis**, of

er but, although he cut the distance between them somewhat, he was never a threat and **Seafarin Dan** won by the comfortable margin of five lengths. The battle for third was won by **Deflation** with **Terry's Winner** fourth but the tired **Bunree Bay** hit the last fence so hard that he gave Mr. Cleland a bad fall. It was to the Glen Cove hospital via ambulance for this good rider where x-Rays revealed no broken bones. effort.

The Groton Stable seems to have a knack of winning the Hayes Memorial. Twice in the previous five runnings **Axon** had carried their colors home first and this year they sent out **Archery**. Mr. F. Ambrose Clark, another double winner of this race, was also trying to make it three with **Steve Brody**. Pete Bostwick's **Masked Knight** and Louis Stoddard's **Blackcock** were the most highly favored in the six horse field. The first trip over the course it looked as if the crowd were right for **Masked Knight** led all the way and **Blackcock** was well up with **False Dawn** and **Steve Brody** hooked up in third place and **Tioga** and **Archery** bidding their time, but the second time around turned the tables. **Archery** slipped by the field until he ran into a safe lead. **Blackcock**, who didn't like the course anyhow, dropped back until he was far in the rear and **Tioga** moved up strongly. So, as they galloped past the judges it was **Archery**, ridden by F. Maier, in first place, **Tioga**, ridden by amateur Ray Wolfe second. Francis Bellhouse was third with **Steve Brody** and Frankie slate last with **Blackcock**.

SUMMARIES

The Meadow Brook Cup, \$1,000 added: 4-year-olds and up; about 3½ miles over timber. Won by Capt. Ewart Johnston's ch. g., 9, by "Don IV"—Sea Girl, by Sea King; Trainer: G. A. Laing.
 1. Seafarin Dan, 160.
 Mr. F. Powers..... 6-1 2-1 4-5
 2. Escape II, 165.
 Mr. Sidney Watters, Jr. 0 0
 3. Deflation, 165, Mr. P. D. Reid 1-2
 Also Ran: Terry's Winner, Mr. Henry Frost; Fell: Bunree Bay, Mr. Norman Cleland, and Henry B., Mr. Daniel Hill Sangster.
 The Hayes Memorial Steeplechase Handicap, \$1,000 Handicap; 4-year-olds and up; about two miles over brush. Won by Groton Stable's b. g., 8, by "Swift and Sure"—Greenerry, by Broomstick. Trainer: L. Mills.
 1. Archery, 135, F. Maier..... 6-1 2-1 3-5
 2. Tioga, 140, Mr. R. G. Wolfe..... 1-0 0
 3. False Dawn, 130, T. Roby..... 1-1
 Also Ran: Steve Brody, Blackcock, and Masked Knight.

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their "Beauval Stables" near Cobham, Va., commenced his climb to his first Championship on Saturday.

Demopolis, under priceless rides by his owner, Mrs. Perry, took second in the Hunter Hacks and went on to win the Open Hunters, defeating Mrs. John McIntyre on her **Round Hill**, winner of the 1939 Keswick tricolor.

Though not winning major awards, but placing in the ribbons, Marian D. Curran Sr.'s grey 3 year old **Dunlin** half-bred won many a horseman's admiration with his stirring performance in the working Hunters and the \$200. Stake. The youngster, **Tahra**, but 3 in May, was ridden by Miss June Curran and has a beautiful way of moving and brilliant style over fences.

Old age honors went to Howard H. Butz's **Hobo**, winner of the Jumper Championship. The veteran of 22 years was in his final Show before retirement, according to Mr. Butz (though there is a strong possibility that he will perform in his home country this week-end at Farmington). **Hobo** was two points back of Capt. Kenneth G. Hoge's **Broomfield**, (winner of the Olympic, the \$200. Stake and an open Jumping class), at the conclusion of the Five Foot event, wherein he took third to Fred J. Hughes, Jr.'s entire horse **Black Caddy**. Malvern Bell, who rides **Hobo** with exceeding showmanship, had his chance for a retiring triumph in the Triple Bars in which **Broomfield** was absent. The spread went to nine feet, the height to a full 4'-6" and then in two magnificent efforts **Hobo** was the only one to clear the course, and he gained a clean-cut uncontested Championship in stirring style.

It was an all Virginia final, with only a handful of chilled spectators, well termed "die-hards", present as the Championships were awarded at 1 A. M. Tuesday morning. Judges: Ray Norton, of Washington, Otto Furr, of Middleburg and George H. Chubb of Sewickley, Pa., debated for some time, so close the conformation and points in the Hunter Division. In the end it was **Demopolis** and Mrs. D. N. Lee's Middleburg stylish chestnut **Red Fox** the Reserve.

Mrs. Lee's **Red Fox** won the \$200. Stake, following a splendid performance, with A. Fishback up. **Glory Road** from the same barn, in winning the Model, ran his string of such triumphs to ten this season.

SUMMARIES

Saturday, Sept. 30th
 Saddle Ponies, under 14.2. First, Dean Rathbun, Jr.'s Chit Chat; 2nd, Springsbury Farm's Victorian II; 3rd, Mildred Gaines' Dandy Jim; 4th, Donny Armiger's Little Spring Hope.
 Jumping Ponies, under 14.2. First, Springsbury Farm's Victorian II; 2nd, Fenton Fadley's Headrock; 3rd, U. S. Randle's Randle's Way; 4th, Lee's Birthday; 5th, John W. Beach's ch. g. Lee's Birthday; 6th, Gaily Boy; 7th, Springsbury Farm's br. g. Brown Bruin; 8th, Margaret Cotter's b. g. Rocksie.

Open Hunters. First, Mr. and Mrs. W. Haggins Perry's b. g. Demopolis; 2nd, McIntyre and Andrews Stables' ch. g. Round Hill; 3rd, John W. Beach's ch. g. Quetor; 4th, Betty Cousens' ch. g. Repulsion.

Working Hunters, Local. First, Margaret Cotter's b. g. Rocksie; 2nd, Fenton Fadley's Headrock; 3rd, Mrs. N. H. McDowell's ch. m. Modern Melody; 4th, Elaine McDowell's ch. g. Gay Melody.

Junior Working Hunters. First, Springabury Farm's ch. g. Victorian II; 2nd, Frances Miller's Dan's Rocksand; 3rd, Mrs. U. S. Randle's ch. g. Randle's Shadow; 4th, Fenton Fadley's Headrock.

Touch and Out. First, Fred Hughes' bl. b. Black Caddy; 2nd, Howard Butz's b. g. Hobo; 3rd, U. S. Randle's ch. g. Randle's Way; 4th, Lieut. Col. Norman Fisk's Brian Bourne.

Ladies' Hunters. First, George G. Lee's b. g. Lee's Birthday; 2nd, John W. Beach's ch. g. Gaily Boy; 3rd, Springsbury Farm's br. g. Brown Bruin; 4th, Margaret Cotter's b. g. Rocksie.

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Olympic Class, Jumpers. First, Capt. Kenneth G. Hoge's b. g. Broomfield; 2nd, Lisbeth J. Steig's ch. m. Hi-Ho; 3rd, U. S. Randle's ch. m. Randle's So Long; 4th, Fred H. Hughes, Jr.'s b. g. Ringmaster.

Bridle Path Hacks. First, R. H. Hutchinson, Jr.'s b. g. Keelhaul; 2nd, U. S. Randle's b. g. Randle's Briggie; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. W. Haggins Perry's b. g. Demopolis; 4th, Edward Talbott's ch. g. Golden Glow.

\$200 Jumper Stake. First, Capt. Kenneth G. Hoge's b. g. Broomfield; 2nd, Lisbeth J. Steig's ch. m. Hi-Ho; 3rd, J. F. Edward's Spone; 4th, Howard H. Butz's b. g. Hobo; 5th, Fred J. Hughes' ch. g. Black Caddy.

\$200 Hunter Stake. First, Mrs. D. N. Lee's ch. g. Red Fox II; 2nd, Betty Cousens' ch. g. Repulsion; 3rd, John W. Beach's ch. g. Quetor; 4th, U. S. Randle's ch. g. Randle's Dawn; 5th, Margaret Cotter's b. g. Rocksie; 6th, Marian D. Curran, Sr.'s ch. g. Tahra.

Five-Foot Class. First, Fred Hughes, Jr.'s b. bl. Black Caddy; 2nd, J. F. Edwards Spone; 3rd, Howard H. Butz's b. g. Hobo; 4th, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Hallman's br. m. Lady Jack.

Corinthian. First, John W. Beach's ch. g. Gaily Boy; 2nd, George G. Lee's b. g. Lee's Birthday; 3rd, McIntyre and Andrews Stables' ch. g. Round Hill; 4th, Margaret Cotter's b. g. Rocksie.

Hunt Teams. First, John W. Beach's Entry, John W. Beach on Quetor, Alice Walton on Gaily Boy and Alex Calvert on Walumbe; 2nd, McIntyre and Andrews Stables' Entry, Mrs. John McIntyre on Round Hill, Mrs. W. Haggins Perry on Lee's Birthday and James Andrews on Duniff.

Triple Bar. First, Howard H. Butz's b. g. Hobo; 2nd, Lisbeth J. Steig's ch. m. Hi-Ho; 3rd, George Benoit's ch. m. Magic Lady; 4th, John W. Beach's ch. g. Walumbe.

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 Rolling Rock Hunt Racing Assn., Lehigh, Pa. Saturday, Oct. 11
 Rolling Rock Hunt Racing Assn., Ligonier, Pa. Saturday, Oct. 14
 Rose Tree Fox Hunting Club, Media, Pa. Saturday, Oct. 21
 Montour County Hunt Racing Assn., Red Bank, N. Y. Saturday, Oct. 21
 Essex Fox Hounds, Far Hills, N. J. Saturday, Oct. 22
 Essex Fox Hounds, Far Hills, N. J. Saturday, Oct. 22
 West Hill Hunt Race Meeting, N. Y. Nov. 4
 United Hunt Racing Assn., Belmont Park, L. I., N. Y. Nov. 1
 United Hunt Racing Assn., Belmont Park, N. Y. Nov. 11
 Middleburg Hunt Club, Middleburg, Va. Nov. 11
 Montpelier Hunt, Montpelier Station, Va. Nov. 18

Horse Show Calendar

OCTOBER
 1-2-3-4-5-6-7 St. Louis Horse Show Association, Inc.
 6-7 Farmington Hunt Club, Horse Show
 7-8 Sleepy Hollow, L. I., N. Y.
 7-8 Orange Horse Show
 12-13-14 Albany Cavalry Horse Show Association, Inc.
 12-13-14-15 110th Cavalry Horse Show
 14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21 American Royal Live Stock and Horse Show
 19-20-21-22 Inter-American Horse Show and Exhibitions
 22-23-24-25-26-27-28 Ak-Sar-Ben Horse Show
 28 Middleburg Hunter Show.
 NOVEMBER
 4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11 National Horse Show Association of America, L. A.
 21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28 Royal Agricultural Winter Fair Association, London, Eng.
 DECEMBER
 1-2 Peekskill Horse Show
 1-2 Brooklyn Horse Show
 28 Metropolitan Equestrian Club, N. Y.

In The Country:-



Big doings on Long Island the last week in September. The Piping Rock Show, starting Wednesday, with its various luncheons and dinners, gathering speed up to the ball Friday night which made a work-out for a nice peaceful Saturday during which all anyone had to do was to Hunt with Meadow Brook at 7 A.M. go to the Show, the Meadow Brook Cup and the Hayes Memorial at the Ambrose Clark's, Belmont for the Lawrence Realization and the Champaign and Field 1 at The Meadow Brook Club for the finals of the Monty Waterbury Cup series. Then Sunday gave an afternoon with the Buckram Beagles out for their first Hunt of the season.

On the long trek through the Clark woods to the Meadow Brook Cup course, Mrs. James Austin trudging along with her charming daughter, Madeleine West, was forced into the bushes when her two other treasures, Betty West and Barbara Stoddard, whipped by driving the ever present and always useful Manha-with Burley Cox hanging on behind. One way and another Betty and Barbara seem to be able to conjure up exercises for "permissions", but if their mother suggests anything of the sort, Mr. Clark insists that she's "plenty young enough to walk." Unless looks can lie it will be a long time before she rides to the Meadow Brook. Again into the bushes for the Clark coach to go by and then, panting, out onto the course where plenty of healthy husky youngsters were riding. There were: Mr. W. C. Langley on a little black pony, trainer Jim Ryan on something not much bigger and Bill Streett on *Cream Puff*, the Palamino that Nuala Johnston used to ride so well, helping the Patrol Judges catch loose horses, helping The Chronicle collect a story of the race and getting very hot with it all. On foot was Mr. Algernon Craven one of the stewards' of the day, who hopes that Virginia won't get too popular as a summer resort. Marguerite Bach, who has been working so hard that she finds it difficult to find time to get to go anywhere and Chris Greer, Billy Patton, down from Boston, and the Bob Kelleys hurrying away to the polo at the Meadow Brook Club. A covey from Connecticut which included the Worth Howards and the Bill Brainards; watching the racing from the vantage point of the far hill was Charlie White, only rider to have won the Meadow Brook three times McCarthy Moore, Little Dan and Indigo being the conveyances, Mrs. Robert Winthrop, receiving congratulations on her third win of the Hayes Memorial and wondering if she hadn't better stop at that before her luck gave out, Jim Maloney who sold Archery and then bet against him but was delighted to loose and Mrs. Norman Toerge, who wishes The Chronicle would not call Camp the "One day Champ" when he has won over a half a month's worth of championships in his short career-fifteen not counting his reserve at Piping Rock.

Luncheon under the trees at Piping Rock is one of the most delightful parts of that popular show with the Joint-Master of Meadow Brook saying "Step right, up-step right up to the Gibson Bar." Food a-plenty is provided and it is there that one catches up on gossip of past events and plans for the future. With Mrs. James Van Alen was M.D. Horn, who came over with England's Wightman Cup team, and then took to the hospital with jaundice, as if things weren't depressing enough. The glamorous

Martin girls, Nancy and Anne, aroused interest while lunching with John Powers at a nearby table, Mrs. Gerard S. Smith gave an account of Honey Blossom's bad behavior in the hack class and George B. Turrell Jr. of Country Life kept one eye to windward for ducks and the other on the dog life around the ring. One of the world's busiest women, Mrs. Richard F. Babcock, secretary to Meadow Brook and authoress extraordinary, found time to spend at the Show watching daughter Alice win a class for horsemanship over fences and her likely two-year-old, *Chaplain* by *Curate*. Others around the breeding ring were Mrs. John A. Payne, regretting that her *Vanderpool* yearling was too sick to show, and the Louis Stoddards-but their *Hearach Brush* was lazily absent in his stall. Harry Plumb claims to have a *Sir Galahad III gelding that is going to be a threat in the Meadow Brook Cup next year and Mrs. Arthur McCashin has a promise of future horsemanship honors in ten months old Arthur Jr., called John because that's Arthur's middle name. The Henry Ober's saddle horses have gone to St. Louis to be sold. Hereafter the Obers are to have hunters and planning to move into Harvey Ladew's Brookville house soon. And as for the joint-Master of the Elkridge-Harford, Mr. Ladew, he's the one who hunted on both sides in a week-end via the Clipper. Then there was John Wise, running around very busy on his Secretarial duties for The National and the Whitney Stones with the Chilean Army Team Major Edwardo Yanyez, Captain Armando Fernandez and Captain Pelayo Izurieta, names that no longer present a problem to Broadcaster Otis Trowbridge but trip lightly off his tongue like a poem by Wordsworth. There was pretty little Pamela Hanna, in a voice more seen than heard,

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because of a cold. She whispered that she was going to leave **Big John** at home now and "take Daddy 'round the shows". "Daddy" being Hunter Judge George Humphrey.

One of the most encouraging things about the Piping Rock Show was the number of excellent amateur riders showing horses over fences. There were Anne Nicholas, Mrs. Harvey D. Gibson and Mrs. George Murname, a beautiful picture in their perfect sidesaddle habits on **Blue Boy**, **Graystone** and **Page Boy**, the Land's End Gray Hunt Team, and they went as well as they looked. Tinky Pell, Mrs. Charles Plumb and Syble Williams all rode as if they spent their whole lives doing nothing else but. Mrs. Dee Bredin fairly flew over the course in the Scurry Stakes to take second with **Lady Norah**, and Mrs. Edward Lasker had the crowd gasping when she won the difficult triple bar class on **Modernistic**. Mrs. James A. Hewlett had a series of workmanlike performances on Mr. Gibson's **Locket** to win the local Championship and Mrs. Norman K. Toerge shared the riding of her **Camp** with that brilliant young horsewoman, Elizabeth Hyland. Deborah Rood on **Dublin Venture** and the other horses of her well known show stable—once on May Top Stable's **Lord Britian**, Patricia Bolling on Mr. and Mrs. Untermeyer's **Illuminator**, Muriel Cleland on Mr. Olebay's **Holystone**, Mrs. Charles B. Lyman on Sunwood Farm's **Bond Street** and Joan Townsend on Glendhu Farm's **Glenara** they were all something to remember.

There too at Piping Rock were Burley Cox placing **Brian Boru** well; Gerry Smith making **Sun Faun** look like a lady's pet, Freddy Thomas, Frank Powers and Harry Peters Jr. Even the most narrow minded could not have complained about "Professional atmosphere" at Piping Rock and for this the professionals themselves deserve a lot of credit. The best of them seem most pleased when they can school a horse properly for an amateur to ride and adapt horse and rider to perfect performances. Not that the riders named needed to have special care taken of them but where, in some cases, it is the inclination of the professional to hog the show the professionals of the show hunter stables are reversing the charge and putting amateurs up whenever it is possible. Nothing could be better for the game.

Among the spectators and rail-sitters at the Montclair Show were: Mrs. Harry Frank, and Mr. Charlie Barrie, scoring and remarking on the performances over the outside course. It's information please, with these two hunter experts because, if there is anybody that knows, it will be these two..... Miss Mary Ann Ill and Eddie Simpson, who incidentally came a cropper the beginning of the morning but not seriously, were watching all the outside classes from the top of the hill with many others, where the frigid wind blew a strong gale and almost paralyzed the Finch, Frank clan and Miss Sophie Brown, the Finches' House-guest and Sundown Stables mascot.

Eddie Luckenbach was missed not riding his father's horses, but then he's at school so Perry Davis was very capably taking over for Eddie, and doing alright. Burt and Helene Ressler were both very busy at the show. Burt was managing several things and walking his mile for a camel every few minutes, but Helene kept up the good standard by winning all the saddle horse trophies. Tommy Spinks was also there, the boy who used to ride "Rocking Moon" for Mrs. Helen R. Benson. Now he's riding high jumpers, for Mr. Ferdinand White.

Fifty-seven hardy souls turned out at Morgan Wing Jr.'s, in Wheatley Hills, Long Island, on Sunday October 1st., at three o'clock for the opening meet of the Buckram Beagles. Having carefully gone through the records of the weather bureau it appears that never before have so many inches of rain fallen in Wheatley Hills on October first between the hours of three and five P.M. as did come down on that afternoon. Even the eleven couple of

Hounds were so delighted to get back to the van that there was a terrific crowding to get inside where it was dry, and not a single Hound asked to be lifted in. Marion Dillon our huntsman from Middleburg, said he had never been so wet in Virginia and thought he would much rather be home.

Mrs. Wing provided a very warming tea for every one, including a number of non-hunting muffin-hounds who appeared smiling and dry from the bridge table.

Beside the Joint Masters, Morgan Wing, Jr., and John C. Baker, Jr., William L. Rochester, the Honorary Secretary, Bromley S. Stone, (see Country Life, Horse and Horseman for September) the assistant Hon. Sec. (in livery for the first time), the Chairman of the hunt committee Herbert L. Bodman and his lady, the Honorary Whips, Miss Glenny Oelsner, Frederick E. Willits, and John L. Eyre. Some of the others were: the ex-Master and Mrs. Henry B. Thompson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wooderson Glenn, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Isaac H. Cocks, (without brother Burley), Charles V. Hickox, Mr. and Mrs. Frank V. Burton, the Edgar Marstons, David Lomasneys, Mrs. Edward S. Blagden, the Renwick Hurrys, John B. Watkins, Lansing McVickar, Peggy Patterson and of course Zorie "Shot-cut" Shoumatoff.

A week past there was an invasion of Canadians. The but recently married Charles Drury, she the former Jane Counsell of Toronto and he the brother of Diana Drury, (frequent visitor with the various packs here, a regular of the Montreal Hunt) came with Nora McGee and Bill Breeze for their first Virginia visit. Miss McGee, of the Canadian Legion in Washington, has recently announced her engagement to Bill. He is well known in Warrenton tennis circles where once he combined with Jane Wilbur to win a Mixed-Doubles Round Robin Tournament.

The ever vibrant Mrs. Evelyn McLean gave a delightful dinner at her "Friendship" in Washington last Sunday night, with a showing of Gary Cooper's new Philippine movie. Many were there, all seated at one lengthy table in "Friendship's" vast dining room. It was good to find Mrs. Cary Grayson, who is continuing the "Blue Ridge Stud" breeding interests of her farm near Uppererville. The late Admiral Cary Grayson commenced these activities, and gave among others to racing Saratoga's highest price filly the outstanding \$55,500 **War Feathers**, producer dam of James Brady's **War Plumage**. The Lawrence "Chin" Roberts were there, and little Evelyn McLean, who has an apartment in New York for the winter, where she is studying designing, was down. The Arthur Krocks, back in Washington now, were there and she, Martha Blair, started "These Charming People," her Washington Times Herald column, again on Tuesday last, after more than a month's vacation, her first in two years. They were with her brother, Mr. Blair.

Mrs. Stewart Snillman arrived in Virginia last week, with three six-wheeler vans and her "Bvrnley" menage. The former Courtland H. Smith farm in the heart of Orange County is in the throes of getting its finishing touches with curtains and furniture and there to supervise it all is the artistic interior decorator herself. Mrs. Rebecca Dumfey. Mrs. Dumfey is possibly better known as Mrs. Christopher Dumfey, he so well known on Meadow Brook links and Long Island. Mrs. Snillman is here for the season and hunting, to be joined later by her daughter, Anne Shaffer who is just recovering from an appendectomy in New York, but will go on almost immediately to Fermata School in Aiken for her final year's finishing.

Recent arrival: one, young sportsman and possible aspirant for the International Polo Team of 1960, Raymond Guest, Junior, at the Doctor's Hospital in New York, last Thursday, September 28;—from latest reports, Mrs. Guest and son doing handsomely, Mr. Guest proudly.

Mr. E. V. Quinn has recently purchased a new bay mare, a six year old, for his daughter Leila to ride and hunt. She is a beautifully man-

nured mare and jumps like a million dollars. Leila was spied out hunting on this mare and never before has this writer seen a more quiet mare in the hunting field. Orchids to Mr. Quinn for being able to find one like this and, incidentally, orchids to Miss Leila for her finished riding. She rides like a person who is really experienced at the game and for a girl of twelve that certainly is some accomplishment and a goal for others to shoot at.

Belmont Park's opening day crowd witnessed a triumphant comeback in the running of the Broad Hollow 'Chase Cap, Thursday, Sept. 21st., when Thomas Hitchcock's **Satilla**, 5-year-old gelded son of **Sortie**, in his first outing in a year, turned in a front running performance. Stablemate **Cottesmore** unloaded his rider, Mr. Raymond Woolfe at the 9th. Mr. Woolfe had better fortune with a horse of his own training the following day when he brought Holmdel Stable's **Cartermoor** home, beating Montpelier's Navy in a 2 mile allowance.

How keen Foxcrofters are to get back to School is noted in their arrival a week in advance of the usual opening date. The student-body voted, to a gal, to take advantage of a week's extra curriculum—which includes cubbing in the early misty mornings for many. Eighty-eight, Foxcroft's customary quota, is the extent of the 1939-40 enrollment.

All the Columbus Horse Show Committee, of Eugene E. Ruppert, Chairman, J. Leo Lynch, Vice-Chairman, Vincent P. Lester, Secretary, Harry B. Hugh, Recording Secretary and Alfred W. Mersch, Treasurer, needed to complete their tribulations of the past week-end with the weather man was to have the roof of the Fort Myer Horse Show Arena leak. Rain came down in torrents on Saturday late to bring the first session of the Show to a close and then Sunday was a rain-out. "The Show Must Go On" was the Committee's "never say die" spirit and so they took horses, jumps, exhibitors and spectators over to the Fort Myer drilling hall to complete the Show on a Monday night. It was a long evening, with extra classes postponed from the first day's program to complete. It wasn't until 1 A. M. that the final ribbon was pinned and the last horse had left the ring.

The Columbus Horse Show has grown from year to year, to become one of the most important fixtures of the fall season on the Md.-Va.-D. C.-Circuit. There were some eighty horses contending for the fatly pursed classes. There were two \$200 Stakes, and exhibitors came from as far away as Sharpsburg, Penna., when the J. F. Edwards brought down their good **Spione**, open-jumper; and John W. Beach (brother of Casanova Hunt's Oscar Beach) came from Allison Park, Penna., with his flashy trio of **Quetor**, **Walumbe** and **Gaily Boy**. Alice Walton was down to ride his mounts—she goes equally well aside or astride. The Edwardses took off, through the rain and mist of Tuesday morning, right after the Show, to drive back to Sharpsburgh, up near Pittsburgh.

There at the Columbus Show, through the long week-end, much of the time sitting on the inside and looking at the outside, were: the W. Haggins Perrys, who brought

Demopolis up from their "Beauval Stables" and took home their good bay gelding a new crowned Champion; Morris Clark with Mr. and Mrs. Hutchison, of Laurel, Md., and their daughter, striking Betty Lloyd Hutchison and son, R. H. Jr., who has a useful sort in **Keelhaul**, by **Constitution**—**Bathing Girl** on whom he won the Bridle Path Hacks; Howard Butz and Malvern Bell got together to get **Hobo** the Jumper Champion; Mrs. Otto Furr, Betty Furr and Sonny Furr were there to see Otto, the well known Middleburg Hunter dealer, doing the judging; the James Andrews were there, she, very lovely in a sky-blue evening gown and white cape, presenting trophies, even to her husband in the Working Hunters for Duniff's efforts; Fenton Fadeley riding, Truman Dodson who broke his lip against Dodsburg's **Fire Chief**'s roached mane in the 5'-0" class; (**Fire Chief** is by **Texaco-Ethyl**, as listed in the Keswick Show catalogue); U. S. Randle riding again, having returned from the west; Alex Calvert, who wound up his busy evening of riding on Monday night, showing **Lee's Birthday** bareback in the Championship Class, (walk Continued on Page Thirty-one

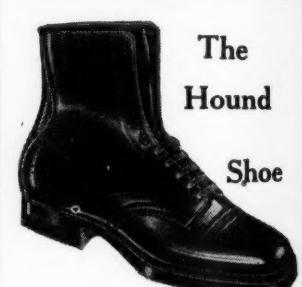
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In The Country

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trot-canter); Anne Hagner, on her mare Show Girl, (Anne is a riding-roving-Post-script-reporter); Maja and Mrs. R. B. Lawrence, she in the Departmental Comic Costume Class as an Amazon Warrior, to win ribbons, the Thomas Darlings, photographers for The Chronicle's "Candid Picture News"; Eva Rabbitt, in the Costume Class as a Jockey, but fairer presenting Championship trophies; Peggy Tinker, Phyllis Rathburn, she writing summaries for Anne Hagner, while the latter was scoring in the ring; Jimmy Hector, over from Baltimore, he has been hunting five days a week, two with Elkridge-Harford, two with Green Spring Valley, and one with Carrollton Hounds; Julia Cahill was there, she's an ardent horse-show fan, attending from Virginia to Connecticut this summer; Frank O'Mahoney, nephew of Senator Joseph C. O'Mahoney was Ring Master, and a good one; the Edwards of Sharpsburg, by the way, have Kimolash, recent from the flat, to run over jumps at Rolling Rock; Roland Dawson was there, as were the Laird Dunlops, Bill Easton, Nancy Hanna, Louis Duffey who has a barn full of boarders legging up for the hunting to come, including The Chronicle's Easy Mark; Nancy Poehlman, ever present at the shows where Radio Sound Service is heard; and S. J. Henry's son Bob, who carries a silent portable for the Washington Star-blond Sports Department.

Others at the Columbus Show were: Mrs. D. N. Lee, well pleased with her Red Fox's Reserve and Glory Road's tenth in a row Model blue; Lisbeth J. Steig, who really can ride a man's horse; Betty Cuzzens with her flashy Repulsion and Sunmouse; and others.

Mrs. James Ryan and her oldest child, unheard of for the past four weeks, came home from Ireland on The Clipper, and went straight to Unionville to surprise her husband, James E. Ryan, the well known trainer. He was up at Belmont with his horses, so she joined him there Thursday afternoon. Many rejoice in having her home as there were several conflicting reports as to her safety and opportunity of getting back to the States.

Jack Skinner shipped to Laurel on Friday with seven 'chasers, including Mad Policy who will not run before the Green Spring Valley Steeplechase Handicap. The record breaking son of Rathbeale—Policy was purchased as a yearling from William Bell Watkins by Mr. Skinner, and as a five year old this fall has proven to be the "top horse of the country" in the eyes of Fred Parks, National Steeplechase and Hunt Assn., Secretary and Handicapper. Mr. Parks gave Mad Policy top weight for the Grand National, but Mr. Skinner preferred not to run his charge three miles as a five year old. In his last outing, The Brook at Belmont, he carried 153, top weight, and gave the winner Whaddon Chase 17 pounds. Mad Policy had Jockey Roberts up in this running, Wednesday, Sept. 27th, when they were in trouble most of the way, and then collided with Rioter at the water.—When Mad Policy broke the record by 2-5 of a second, in the Glendale Steeplechase Handicap, he broke Thomas Hitchcock's former Ossabaw's record. Ossabaw took 7 seconds off it last year and was sold for \$18,000.—Over at Laurel already, prepping for the 'chasing to come, are Arthur White and Mrs. Elizabeth Bosley. All the rest will be there when Belmont closes on the 7th.

The American Trainers Association has recently installed a separate Committee for Steeplechasing. Jack Skinner, Granger Gathier and Morris Dixon have been named on this Committee and will be in charge of the inspection of the various steeplechasing courses. The Committee will encourage Race Associations to improve turf and fences and make courses as safe as possible.

Montreal Hounds, with their opening day behind them (Sept. 16th) have been providing excellent sport. W. W. Ogilvie, Master, had out with him St. G. Harvey, P. Gurd, Diana

Drury, on Sunny, formerly Tantalus; J. Porteous, David Law, Frances Sise, Larry Porter, Helen Ogilvie on Sand Marten, recently obtained from Christopher M. Greer, Jr., of Uppererville, and Marion Hart with him on the 23rd., of September, when the day commenced with the Meet at St. Scholastique Village and went on to prove the best of the season to date. Others who have been out with Montreal this year include: Mrs. W. W. Ogilvie, Col. G. L. Ogilvie and his son, Hugh, owner of Girlish Charm (winner of the Seigniorly Hunter Trials for the past three years), a mare who went from Louis Leith to Mr. Greer, Jr., in Virginia, and then from Col. and Mrs. A. T. Paterson, in Canada, to Mr. Ogilvie; L. M. Spackman, who is enjoying his 52nd., consecutive year with Montreal Hunt; Walter Gurd, Arnold Houghton, Adelard Raymond, Allan Mitchell, Betty Harvey, Anne Graffey and others.

Harry Kirkover of Camden and Genesee put in a busy two days in the vicinity of New York Steeplechasing at Belmont, swapping stories at Piping Rock and Stewarding at the Meadow Brook Cup. The Sterling Larrabees were up from Virginia, he to judge Hunters at Brookville and Piping Rock and covered more ground in a week than a native could in a month. Among the things they managed to cram in between horse shows, racing and a round of parties, were two days at the World's Fair, where they saw practically everything there was to see, and a visit to Port Washington to see Kay Stammers off on the Clipper.

According to Farmington's hard working little secretary, Judy Moltner, those holding boxes for the fifth annual Horse Show which gets under way this morning and continues through tomorrow at the Farmington Country Club near Charlottesville, are: the Franklin D. Roosevelt's, (Jr.); the Marshall Fields, (Jr.); the R. E. Lees, (Jr.); the Howard Y. Haffners; Thomas Craven; Dr. B. W. White; the Douglas McGregors; the Randolph Catlins; the Leslie Bucklers; the E. J. Perkins-es; the Frank Warrens; the M. A. Cushman; the R. D. Yorks; the Hollis Rineharts; Dr. and Mrs. Stephen H. Watts; Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Jones; the W. Alonzo Rineharts; Mrs. Graham Harris; the Ralph Connors; the R. H. Schlesingers; the Thomas Renwicks; the Truman Dodsons and Mrs. Murray Bocock.

The nineteenth annual Orange Horse Show, managed by capable Arthur Naul and held on the grounds of the Lawn Tennis Club at South Orange, New Jersey, begins its three-day activities this a. m., its forty-one odd classes for hunters, jumpers and saddle horses lasting through Sunday. On its Committee are: John J. Cronin, Jr., Chairman; Courtney Overman, Secy., James B. Dickey, Treas., and Lt. Col. H. Henry Bertram, William H. Hassinger, Ira A. Kip, Jr., Capt. H. C. Kirchner, Maj. Donald A. McGrath, Dr. Dean C. Moore, Donald G. Overman, Neil P. Overman, Malcolm G. Person, Carleton B. Riker, Roland T. Ross, C. Lester Seaman, Edward K. Simpson, Irving Smith, Jr., Aldis B. Soule, William G. Wrightson and Maj. Everett Colby, "Ex-Officio."

Scheduled to judge the hunters and jumpers at Orange this week end are Alfred G. Allen, M. F. H., (Fairfield County) Fairfield, Conn., and E. B. Mitchell, M. F. H., (Beaufort), Harrisburg, Pa.

Mrs. John Hay Whitney after a few summer months of war in Europe, shuttled home on the Gripsholm from Sweden dodging mines, submarines and photographers on the way. Among other celebrities on the neutral "Home Sweet Home" voyage was Bruce Cabot of Hollywood, Virginia and other points.

Judges for the Middleburg Hunter Show will be Welsh Strawbridge, Ned Voss, Mrs. Edgar Scott, Charles Bird of Boston, and Col. Sloan Doak the Secretary, is mailing out the Prize Lists this week.

The Thorvald F. Hammers of Branford, Conn., are down for a month's hunting, staying in "My Hunting Box" Middleburg. Their horses arrived on Tuesday.

Arthur Phillips, of Reno, Nevada, the man who gave King Vulture to

the horse show world, is east and stopping for a spell at "Old Welbourne" with Christopher M. Greer, Jr. He brought his King of All, full brother to "Vulture" east, for some hunting in the Piedmont country.

Out with Middleburg during the past week, when there has been cubbing, have been Mrs. Amory Perkins, Mrs. Oliver Iselin, Dr. Frank Humphrey, who rode 12 miles from Round Hill to the Mountsville meet with Betty Shedd, she on a big Mud thoroughbred and he on a grey son of Repulse; the recently returned Honorary Secretary Laura Sprague; William Hubert and daughters, Helen and Catherine; Louis Duffey up on Mrs. Phillip Connors' grey mare; Louise Whitfield, Mrs. Robert Maddux, Sonny Furr and father, Otto on a classy looking five year old by Out Play; Jim Skinner, riding Mrs. George P. Metcalf's good Herodine; he put The Chronicle up on Wednesday on an Illuminator moving four year old, a great lepper; Joan McClelland on and off Shot Gun, she of Foxcroft; Theresa Shook; Robert Ritco on Mary Sands, by Meridian; Crompton Smith, Willett Leache, Mrs. Southgate Morrison; Jimmy McCormick on a new grey-black four year old by Capt Courageous and others.

Casualty List.

Martin Fenton, better known as "Muggins" to many, who took part in the Bedford Point-to-Point recently, was galloping his horse a week ago and remembered nothing except his horse shying. He came out with a fractured wrist, a smashed jaw and a split breast bone. Now he is turning his interests from hunting-hunters and show horses to steeplechasers. It is not entirely past presumption that in the near future Chris may be numbered among the Owner-Trainers. It is to be hoped that he will enjoy as much success with his steeplechasing as he has found in the show-ring. Louis Leith has two of his 'chasers at this writing.

Jack Hinckley, who has been on the Pacific for sometime, from Honolulu to Frisco, is now in Panama, enroute home.

The police Department gave a benefit party for the politicians of Queens and invited all the people going to the Piping Rock Show that didn't come to a dead stop at a hidden sign on an empty parkway. Among those requested to subscribe were Muriel Cleland, who because of this honor nearly missed riding Holystone in the Corinthian class.

The verdict on Norman Cleland, who received such a bad fall when Bunree Bay came down over the last fence in the Meadow Brook, is a cracked shoulder blade. He's up and around again but won't ride for some time. Daniel Hill Sangster, who also came down in this race, was uninjured but his grand little horse Henry B., who won the Whittemarsh Cup so handily, came out with a filled tendon and isn't likely to race again this year.

Christopher M. Greer, Jr., of "Old Welbourne," Upperville, well known horseman, Recognized Judge of American Member Shows and exhibitor has been forced to forego the pleasures of foxhunting. During the past year, he has only been able to get out on occasions. Doctor's orders have finally convinced him. Now he is turning his interests from hunting-hunters and show horses to steeplechasers. It is not entirely past presumption that in the near future Chris may be numbered among the Owner-Trainers. It is to be hoped that he will enjoy as much success with his steeplechasing as he has found in the show-ring. Louis Leith has two of his 'chasers at this writing.

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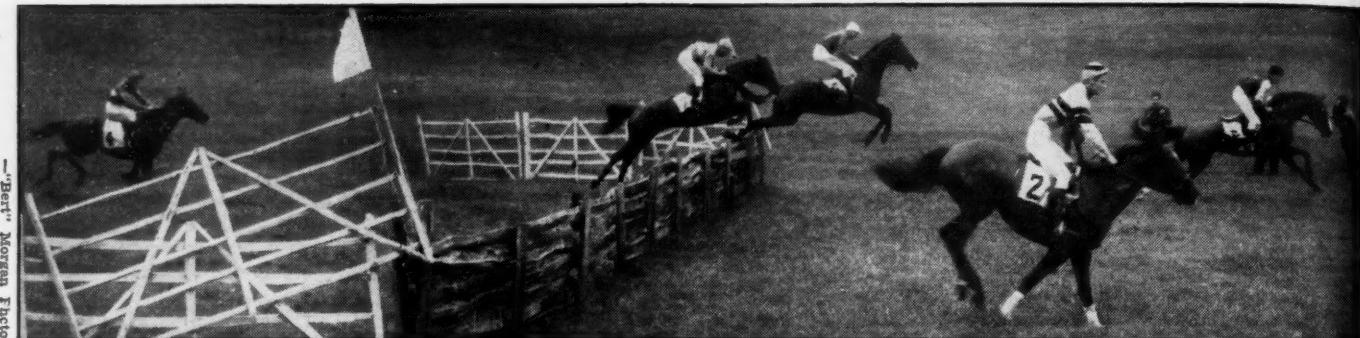
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There were all sorts of explanations of SEAFARIN DAN'S triumph in the 41st. Renewal of the Meadow Brook. The fact remains that Geoffrey A. Laing sent out the fittest horse and Mr. Frank Powers had the courage to "keep a long hold on 'DAN'", and he galloped the field at the finish. Here they are starting the second turn of the course. "DAN" is in the lead. He was only headed for an instant when TERRY'S WINNER stuck his nose out in front six from home. DEFLATION has just landed, No. 2, with Mr. Reid up; ESCAPE III, with Mr. Watters, looks as though he has hit; TERRY'S WINNER and Mr. Frost are just rising and Mr. Cleland on BUNREE BAY is running last. The Meadow Brook was run on F. Ambrose Clark's Westbury Long Island estate last Saturday morning.

Close Quarters At First In Meadow Brook



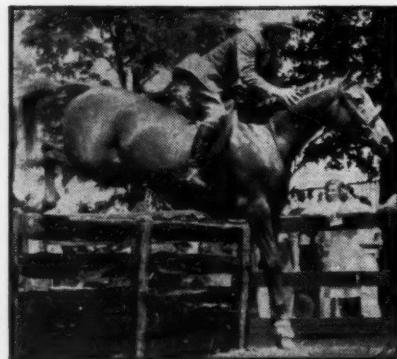
"Bert" Morgan Photo.
Owner up Mr. Daniel Hill Sangster, who came to grief in the running of the Meadow Brook last Saturday is shown running 5th, at the first. TERRY'S WINNER is second, with BUNREE BAY and ESCAPE III head and head. The winner is the 9 year old son of DAN IV—SEA GIRL, owned by Capt. Ewart Johnston.

Marking Them Now



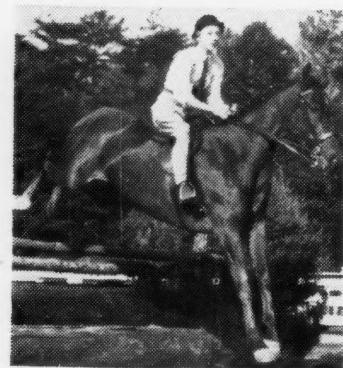
The Virginia packs are busy in cub-hunting activities these days, marking many foxes to ground. The recent rains have improved conditions immensely. Official fixtures will commence about the last of October.

Miss Pat Flies West



MISS PAT, Upperville Show Champion, was purchased from Horace Moffett by Robert E. Gross, of Burbank, Calif. The Lockheed Aircraft Corp's President intends to show the daughter of ESPINO—ORO on the Pacific Coast.

Demopolis' First



Mrs. W. Haggin Perry is shown on her DEMOPOLIS, who won his first Tricolor at the rained out Columbus Show.

Archery Is Best



"Bert" Morgan Photo.
Mrs. Robert W. Winthrop is shown with her winning ARCHERY, of her Groton Stables. ARCHERY scored in the Hayes Memorial.

Three Straight



C. Mahlon Kline's WHADDON CHASE won his third straight last Wednesday, winning The Grand National at Belmont.

Rocksie In Hunter Role



Miss Margaret Cotter's ROCKSIE is a versatile one. From winning 6'-0" Knock Down Classes he turned to Hunter competition in the Columbus Show. Miss Kathleen Dunlop and Eugene Ruppert present trophies won.

Springsbury Farm's Portrush and Progeny



The George P. Greenhalghs have a good mare in PORTRUSH, by DYNAMO—FEUGAL, by FEUGAL MAN, he by PERSIMMON. She is 14 now, bought as a four-year-old in Ireland. She won the Broodmare Class at Upperville in 1934 and has hunted. She first produced SALLYPORT, (by WAR HERO), the useful conformation show mare of the Springsbury string. SLY PORTIA, by SLIEVE ROI, member of the Hunt Team was the second foal, now three. DUN PORT, by DUNLIN, is a two-year-old, who has started on the track. PORTRUSH'S next foal was PORT O'WAR, another WAR HERO, winner of the Yearling Class at Berryville. The *GINO suckling is GIN AND PORT.

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